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RECKONING NEAR; ROADS DEFIANT.

Lines Make No Move to Obey Law Forbidding Transportation of Their Own Products.

HUGE FINES POSSIBLE.

Every Employe Liable to $5,000 Assessment; Prosecution Faces Big Drawbacks in Work.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Inside of three months the railroads of the United States will be face to face with a serious problem. They have been given plenty of time to arrange matters, but have apparently proceeded on the theory that the government would be lenient and would make no attempt to enforce the law. The result is that the railroad officials, from president down to the humblest switchman, are likely to be put in a position where enormous fines may be assessed against them.

The rate law, passed in 1906, forbade the railroads carrying coal, iron, or other products they owned themselves except so far as such transportation was necessary to supply the demands of the railroads themselves. This prohibition of the new law was so radical that the railroads were given until May 1, 1908, to get rid of their prohibited properties.

Few, if any of them, seem to have paid any attention to this law. The result is that not only the railroads themselves, but every employé and agent who has any hand in transporting this prohibited freight becomes liable to a fine which may reach $5,000 for every offense, and each new shipment is a separate offense.

At Mercy of Officials.

It is a serious situation, and the railroad men who were at first inclined to laugh at it are now waking up to discover they will be at the mercy of every district attorney in the United States, so that, in the long run, the fine imposed by Judge Landis against the Standard Oil company will be nothing at all as compared to the revenue which might accrue to the United States from coal, iron, and similar commodities illegally hauled by the railroads.

The law is one of the most drastic things ever put on the statute books, and the railroad managers are becoming so frightened over the situation that they will probably appeal to congress for relief by securing an extension of the time for a year or two.

The section of the new rate law which has caused all this trouble reads as follows:

"From and after May 1, 1908, it shall be unlawful for any railroad company to transport from any state, territory, or the District of Columbia to any other state, territory, or the District of Columbia, or to any foreign country, any article or commodity, other than timber and the manufactured products thereof, manufactured, mined, or produced by it or under its authority, or which it may own in whole or in part, or in which it may have any interest, direct or indirect, except such articles or commodities as may be necessary and intended for its use in the conduct of its business as a common carrier."

Every Employe Held Liable.

Section 10 of the interstate commerce law provides that "any carrier subject to the provisions of this act, or when any such common carrier is a corporation, and a director or officer thereof or any receiver, trustee, lessee, agent, or person acting for or employed by such corporation, who, alone or with any other corporation, company, person, or party, shall willfully do or cause to be done, or shall willingly suffer or permit to be done any act, matter, or thing in this act prohibited or declared to be unlawful, or who shall aid or abet therein or shall willfully omit or fail to do any act, matter, or thing in this act required to be done, or shall cause or willingly suffer or permit any act, matter, or thing so directed or required by this act to be done, not to be so done, or shall aid or abet any such omission or failure, or shall be guilty of any infraction of this act, or shall aid or abet therein, shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and shall, upon conviction thereof in any District court of the United States within the jurisdiction of which such offense was committed, be subject to a fine of not to exceed $5,000 for each offense."

These two laws are pretty stiff, as any one can see by reading them carefully. The railroad which owns a mine along its own road and transports a pound of coal, except for its use, will be doing an unlawful act after May 1. Not only that, but every official of that road, from president down, becomes liable to the same fine.

"Stub End" Rebate Wiped Out.

The conductor and engineer of the coal train are evidently just as much liable to arrest under this section as the general freight agent or the superintendent of the division. The only commodity which a railroad is permitted to own and transport along its own line for other people, is timber or manufactured lumber.

A little consideration will show how serious the situation may become if the government undertakes to enforce the law. What are known as industrial railroads might be wiped out of existence. It was considered a smart thing a little while ago for a man running a steel mill or harvester works or any other big industrial enterprise to incorporate his switch tracks into a railroad company. These stub end roads were given a larger percentage of the through rate than they were entitled to, and this was a favorite method of discrimination.

Now, all these so-called industrial or stub end railways are under the ban of the United States law. If a line controlled by the steel trust handles any of its own steel intended for transfer to another state, it commits an unlawful act, and every separate shipment subjects every man connected with it to a fine of $5,000.

History of the Measure.

The quarryman who has incorporated his own spur railroad will have to go out of the transportation business or out of the stone business. The principle, applied to these little fellows, will work equally with the big people. The Pennsylvania, Reading, Lackawanna, and the coal roads generally will have to divest themselves of their ownership in coal properties or be subject to a fine so serious that it would swamp even those great corporations.

The history of this extraordinary provision is an interesting one. When the rate bill was up before the senate half a dozen propo-

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1908.

THE WEATHER—

FORECAST—Fair Friday and probably Saturday, moderately cold, fresh northwest winds, becoming variable.

Sunrise, 6:57.
Sunset, 5:13.
Moonset, 11:42 p. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Temperature, max. 31, min. 19, mean 26, normal for the day 24. Excess since Jan. 1, 148.

Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .01. Excess since Jan. 1, .48 inch.

Wind, W., max. 37 miles an hour, at 8:55 a. m.

Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 84%, 7 p. m. 67%.

Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 29.89, 7 p. m. 30.27.

TELEPHONE CENTRAL 100.

WASHINGTON.

Law forbidding roads transporting own products will go into effect on May 1, but lines are still defiant. Page 1.

Clayton of Alabama enlivened house with speech, dividing republicans into reactionaries and "cuckoos." Page 10.

DOMESTIC.

President Roosevelt placed in Ananias club by classmates of Harvard. Page 1.

James Hargis, Kentucky feudist, killed by his own son. Page 1.

Robbers shot four men near Woburn, Mass.; militia asked for aid. Page 4.

Banker Morse urged by counsel to return from Europe; message sent at request of district attorney. Page 5.

Society paper declared Mrs. Anne Weightman Walter was to marry diplomat. Page 5.

LOCAL.

State prosecutors asked Supreme court to enjoin Judge McEwen from acting on habeas corpus. Page 1.

Council transportation committee decided to engage engineer to solve loop problem. Page 1.

Miss Anna Reingold, 559 South Halsted street, and Mrs. Sarah Dossin, St. Louis, claimed same man as husband. Page 2.

Statements made by A. C. Tisdelle, private banker, of a $30,000 run causing failure not proved by books. Page 2.

Suit against Joy Morton and fellow directors in Jackson bank outcome of row among stockholders. Page 2.

Attorneys Francis W. Walker and Louis A. Seeberger clinched in courtroom, according to report. Page 3.

Mrs. Robert Eitel frightened as doctors removed skin from arms to be grafted upon husband's body. Page 3.

United societies reported 180,000 signatures to petition for referendum on Sunday saloons. Page 3.

Ministers planned to crush "white slave" evil by forming vigilance committee. Page 3.

Friends of charity attracted by popular prices for Sunday concert by San Carlo opera company stars. Page 4.

Sleighing party struck by elevated train, but only one boy injured. Page 4.

Summary transfer of white pupils from Webster to Keith school aroused parents. Page 8.

Criticism of shoppers aroused women, who called men of this city most ungallant in world. Page 9.

Letter found in Guerin's pocket may be used to prove motive for killing. Page 16.

POLITICAL.

Twenty-five Illinois counties will vote on local option in April. Page 3.

Republican national committeemen to meet in Chicago soon to complete plans for convention. Page 7.

Republicans in Florida split in convention, one side selecting eight delegates for Taft. Page 7.

FOREIGN.

Battleship fleet bade adieu to Punta Arenas in brilliant spectacle. Page 5.

Former Premier Franco in Madrid in flight to Paris. Page 5.

NEW YORK.

Sir Genille Cave-Browne-Cave, cowboy, miner, soldier of fortune, going to England to claim estate. Page 5.

Woman ordered her coffin, donned her shroud, then ended her life. Page 5.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Real estate. Page 10.
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SPORTING.

Fielder Jones arrived in city and announced he would manage White Sox next season. Page 6.

Scratches on account of bad condition of track at New Orleans spoiled good card of races. Page 6.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
ADRIATIC	Plymouth.
FINLAND	New York.
KONIG ALBERT	New York.
KAGAMARU	Astoria.
LAURENTIAN	Halifax.
LOUISIANA	Boston.
STATENDAM	New York.
WINNEBAGO	Shanghai.
Sailed.	**Port.**
ARABIC	New York.
BALTIC	Liverpool.
CELTIC	New York.
HAVERFORD	Queenstown.
OSCAR II.	New York.
PRETORIAN	Liverpool.
SARDINIAN	St. John.

WIRELESS REPORTS.

AMERIKA	Off Browhead	Due Fri. a. m.
COLUMBIA	Off Cape Race	Due Sund. p. m.
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CITY WILL SOLVE PROBLEM OF LOOP

Takes Matter Out of L Roads' Hands and Decides to Hire Its Own Expert Engineers.

AIMS FOR QUICK RELIEF.

Through Routing of Trains Believed to Be Best Method of Settling the Difficulty.

The council committee on local transportation determined yesterday to take the question of improving the loop into its own hands and work it out without outside aid or interference.

It had asked the four "L" companies interested to furnish suggestions, but when they came in they practically all harked back to the one old proposition to lengthen the station platforms, and, if needed, to elevate at grade crossings.

But the committee was asking for more and new information. It had heard this story before. So it voted authority to Chairman Foreman to employ a competent engineer who should study the situation and advise with the committee what can and what cannot be done. Then it will devise its own plan and if the companies do not like it there are plenty of legislative "big sticks" lying around to persuade them to take a reasonable view of the situation.

City to Work Out Its Own Plan.

"It has come to just this," said Chairman Foreman, "We have got to work out our own plan. The companies are practically offering us nothing. They seem to have an idea that nothing can be done unless it agrees with their special wishes. The Union Traction and Chicago City companies had that notion for a long time on the surface lines question, but they got over it eventually.

"What our plan will be none of us can say now. It is a matter in which engineering advice will have to be had. But when it is formed the companies will have to pay attention to it, or there will be no elevated railroad legislation for some time to come. That can be set down for certain."

Must Operate Through Trains.

Traction Agent Hereley said the only solution of the problem is to operate through trains.

"The problem is serious," he said, "and the elevated railway companies should be forced to through route their trains. The lengthening of the platforms and the building of stub end terminals are but temporary makeshifts."

Mr. Hereley also said the elevated companies should be forced to install a device to melt the snow and sleet from the tracks. He said such a device is in use in New York, and that sleet cutters were used by the street car companies.

Views of Companies Presented.

The communications sent in by the companies varied some in details, but all insisted on the necessity of lengthening the platforms. For the Metropolitan "L" President H. G. Hetzler reported the "loop" was all right except during the "rush hours," and then there was trouble. He ascribed it to too short trackage on the loop, too short platforms, delay at grade crossings, and stations too near to junction points. Remedy this and establish more stub end terminals and everything would be all right.

"The Chicago and Oak Park company," said President Clarence Knight, "desires the right to operate a portion of its trains to its Market street terminal, instead of being obliged to operate all the trains that pass eastwardly over the Lake street bridge to and around the union loop, as now required."

Weston for Separate Loops.

President Charles V. Weston for the South Side "L" elaborated on the necessity of lengthening the platforms so they could each accommodate two six car trains at the same time. This he described as the first step which would have to be taken in the way of relief, describing it as "essential to any plan of relief which can be devised for the relief of conditions under which elevated roads are working in the downtown district."

He advanced a theory of his own which he said he recognized would meet with almost general popular opposition, and that was that the loop be divided into four quarters by the building of intersecting lines, north and south and east and west, and each elevated road be given one of these quarters for its individual use.

"The advisability of a separate loop for each road," he said, "considered from the operating point of view, has been urged often, but opposition to it has been so strong and persistent that the railroad companies and the public have learned to look upon the proposition of making four loops within the present loop district as being quite impossible of accomplishment.

"Be that as it may, the fact remains that such an arrangement would provide the most efficient terminal within the present business district that could be created, and it would combine all the facilities for interchange of traffic between the different roads that are now offered by the present double track loop."

Faint Hint at Through Routes.

President Mason B. Starring of the Northwestern "L" did give a hint at through routes as a possible solution, but it was a faint one. After in his turn advocating the lengthening of the platforms as the most important thing to be done, Mr. Starring wrote:

"Whether the next step following platform extension is the removal of the direct interference of one train with another at grade crossings by elevating one track over another at the proper point or whether the best results can be accomplished by through routing, if the latter is practicable, are matters upon which engineers differ and upon which those employed by this company are still figuring. Therefore I am not prepared to make any definite statement thereto."

He followed with the statement his road would be badly put out soon by the building of a new bridge at Wells street, and wanted another river crossing east of that point. He asked also for passage of the ordinance allowing the road to build a stub end terminal in North Water street.

Plea of Poverty Made.

Noble B. Judah, counsel for the South Side "L," followed with what Ald. Foreman afterward called "a pathetic plea" for the roads, calling attention to their poverty and the fact that none of them ever had paid a

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TWO IMPRESSIONS OF UNCLE JOE.

Popular impression of Speaker Cannon.

Congressman Nelson's impression of Speaker Cannon.

SON SLAYS FEUDIST HARGIS

Leader of Bloody Kentucky Vendetta Killed During Quarrel.

LAST WORDS A MERCY PLEA.

Victim Thrice Accused of Murder, but Each Time Acquitted.

Jackson, Ky., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—The biblical passage, "Whoso sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed," was exemplified today when James Hargis, feud leader, accused of complicity in many murders, was slain by his son, James Hargis. The murdered man's last words were an appeal for mercy.

Breathitt county, in which James Hargis lived, became a political power, and rose to the office of county judge, was known throughout the country as "bloody Breathitt," because of the loss of life connected with the Hargis-Cockrill feud. The man who fell today a victim of his own son's pistol had for twelve years led one of the bloodiest of bloody Kentucky feuds. He had been tried for three murders, but escaped punishment. It never was charged that James Hargis himself pulled the trigger that meant the death of his enemy, but men have confessed that they were paid by him to do the work. Three murders have been traced directly to his door, but his influence was so great that the barrier could not be torn away.

Slain in His Own Store.

Hargis fell in his own store—a store in which the state has charged plots have been hatched that cost no less than three lives.

It was 3:30 o'clock this afternoon when Beach Hargis entered his father's store, which was crowded with customers, and, like the assassins who have wiped from the face of the earth his father's enemies, made sure of his victim by firing five shots, four bullets taking effect in his parent's body. Hargis fell dead, and clerks and patrons fled in a panic.

The younger Hargis had been on a protracted spree and some days ago his father administered a thrashing. The chastisement was the cause of the murder today, the son having continued his debauch, nursing his resentment until his father again upbraided him for his condition. The son drew a pistol and fired three shots.

"Mercy, mercy, you've killed me," appealed the elder man, as he lay on the floor. Young Hargis' answer was to fire two more bullets into his parent's prostrate body.

Son Raves Like a Maniac.

Young Hargis was arrested by Coran Smith, the town marshal, and Grover Blanton and placed in jail. He was raving like a maniac and the officers were compelled to drag him to jail.

History of the Feuds.

The worst stories of vendetta that have come out of Corsica or Sicily have been rivaled by the Hargis-Cockrill feud, which was carried on with such ferocity, persistence, and fatality that the entire country has wondered how such things could be in a civilized land.

Many theories have been advanced as to the cause of the Hargis-South-Cardwell feud, which made "bloody Breathitt" bloodier than it had ever been before. Politics, love, ambition—all have been spoken of; and, in truth, all are included, but it seems to be recognized that this war, which has cost thousands of dollars to the state, thousands more to innocent persons, and more than three score lives, really came about in a little matter of market gardening rivalry. Then came the political rivalry, which added to the fury of the feud and increased the death list.

When Ben Hargis and one of the Cockrills came together at a blind tiger there was a "gun play." Ben Hargis fell dead and the war was on.

Tom Cockrill claimed that he had killed Ben Hargis in self-defense.

Dr. Cox's Murder the First.

The first murder came in the fall of 1902. Dr. B. D. Cox had moved to Jackson in recent years and married a near relative of the Cockrills. He was the guardian of the infant Cockrill children, including Tom, who killed Hargis. Returning from a professional call one night, Dr. Cox was slain.

John Smith, John Abner, and others were arrested. Smith and Abner weakened, and it was asserted that Judge Hargis hired them to kill Dr. Cox. Jim Cockrill was the town marshal. His activity revived the enmity toward him. He was the next victim, falling in Jackson street under the unerring fire of his enemies or their paid assassins.

Assassination of Marcum.

Then came the murder that created the greatest sensation of all—the assassination of James B. Marcum, at one time a federal attorney.

One morning in May, five years ago, Marcum went to the courthouse in Jackson to transact some business. He was standing at the door of the courthouse, talking to Capt. Ewen, afterwards noted as a witness, when a shot rang out. Marcum staggered from the steps and fell dying, but the assassin stepped up and, to make sure, shot him again through the back of the head. The assassin was Curt Jett, the "wild dog," who has since confessed his part in this tragedy, and who was accused of the others. He and Tom White are now serving life sentences in the penitentiary.

Judge Hargis had just disposed of the last of the numerous cases in which he had been involved by his connection with the Hargis-Cockrill feud, when he paid a check of more than $11,000 to Mrs. Marcum. Mrs. Marcum had sued Judge Hargis and others for $100,000, alleging that they caused the death of her husband.

STEALS GRAIN FOR CHICKENS.

Julius Karohoreck, 2712 Keeley Street, Secures Release from Custody on His Unique Plea.

Julius Karohoreck, arrested for stealing grain from a car, secured his release in the Juvenile court when he informed Judge Tuthill that he had stolen to keep his six chickens from starving.

"They were so hungry I just had to get something for them," he told the court. "I had given them my own supper, but that was not enough."

Karohoreck was arrested by a railroad policeman, who agreed to the dismissal of the case on the boy's promise not to steal again. He is 15 years old and lives at 2712 Keeley street.

"I OBJECT"—MANN TO ST. PETER

Fellow Congressman Says Illinoisan Would Retain His Habit Even on Entering Heaven.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Representative W. C. Lovering of Massachusetts says of Representative Mann of Illinois, who is the great objector of the house, that "when he dies and appears at the gates of heaven and St. Peter opens the portals and bids him enter, the congressman from Illinois will say: 'Reserving the right to object, I will step in and look about,' and following his frequent practice in the house, it is expected that he will promptly withdraw his objection."

MISS SWIFT ILL IN NEVADA?

Young Woman Believed to Be Packer's Daughter Taken from Train Suffering from Mastoiditis.

Reno, Nev., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Miss Swift, believed to be a daughter of the Chicago meat packer, on the way from San Francisco to Chicago, was taken from the train here tonight in a dangerous condition, suffering from mastoiditis.

ROOSEVELT IN ANANIAS CLUB

Declares Himself Champion Boxer, but Records Say No.

BEATEN IN HARVARD BOUT.

President's Own Letter Shows He Claimed to Have Won.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—The Cosmopolitan magazine for November, 1907, printed a facsimile of an autograph letter written by President Roosevelt when he was an assemblyman at Albany. The letter was dated May 1, 1884, and written on the assembly chamber letter head.

Among other things Mr. Roosevelt wrote:

"I was born in New York Oct. 27, 1858; my father of old Dutch Knickerbocker stock; my mother, a Georgian, was descended from the revolutionary governor, Bulloch. I was graduated at Harvard in 1880; in college I did fairly in my studies, taking honors in natural history and political economy; am fond of sparring, being a champion lightweight at one time. Have published sundry papers in ornithology, either of my trips to the north woods or around my summer home on the wooded broken shore of northern Long Island."

Records Prove Him Incorrect.

Mr. Roosevelt's assertion in his autograph letter that he was "champion lightweight at one time" is disputed by members of his class and by the athletic records of Harvard university.

William Hooper, treasurer of the Boston Elevated railroad, class of '80, and head of the Harvard Athletic association while he was in college, said:

"Roosevelt never was lightweight champion of Harvard. He made a mistake when he wrote this. He never sparred but once. That was in 1879, when he was defeated by Charles Stedman Hanks, '79. Of course he may have sparred privately, but what I mean is he only boxed once at a championship meeting held by the association."

Col. William A. Gaston and others of the class of '80 confirmed Mr. Hooper's statement. Hanks, who bested Roosevelt, is the same person denounced some time ago by the president for his utterances on railroad matters.

Files of the Harvard Crimson and the Harvard Advocate at the Harvard library for the years 1876 and 1880 have only one mention of Mr. Roosevelt's name in reports of the athletic meetings.

Report in the Advocate.

The Advocate of March 28, 1879, has the most complete account. The Advocate says:

"For lightweight sparring there were six entries. The men were paired as follows: Messrs. C. S. Hanks, '79 [133], and J. J. Thomsen, '80 [138]; W. W. Coolidge, '79 [133¾], and Theodore Roosevelt, '80 [135]; L. Cushing, '79 [132½], and S. H. Spalding, '81 [134¾].

"In the first bout Mr. Hanks won. The second bout, between Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Roosevelt, was won by the latter, who displayed more skill and coolness than his opponent. Mr. Cushing easily won the last bout.

"Mr. Hanks was then paired with Mr. Roosevelt and a spirited contest followed, in which Mr. Hanks succeeded in getting the best of his opponent by his quickness and power of endurance.

"Next came the final bout in lightweight sparring between Mr. Hanks and Mr. Cushing. The former, though suffering from previous exertions, made the contest lively, and numerous blows were given by both men, who were loudly applauded. Mr. Hanks was awarded the championship."

Some of the waggish members of Mr. Roosevelt's class say he has written himself down as the original member of the Ananias club.

AIM AT 'INDUSTRY' OF HABEAS CORPUS

State Prosecutors Ask the Supreme Court to Enjoin Judge McEwen from Acting on Writ.

COOKE CASE IS IN VIEW.

Prisoner Whose Liberty Is Now in Question, However, Is Ralph Lipsey, Junk Dealer.

State's Attorney Healy aimed a body blow yesterday at the habeas corpus industry in Illinois and especially in Chicago, where the so-called writ mills have flourished so luxuriantly.

In striking this blow he made a move which is said to be unprecedented in the history of jurisprudence—at any rate in this state. He asked the state Supreme court to permit him to apply for a writ of injunction restraining Judge Willard M. McEwen of this county from hearing arguments for the discharge of a prisoner in habeas corpus proceedings, and also for a writ of certiorari compelling the judge to furnish the higher court with a record in the same case.

Expects Court's Answer Today.

The Supreme court heard the prayer of the state's attorney, who was joined in the move by the attorney general, but handed down no answer. It is expected that its dictum will be given at 9 o'clock this morning.

The case is one parallel to that of John A. Cooke, the convicted grafter, whose friends are still planning to open the doors of the Joliet penitentiary by means of the habeas corpus key. And the activity of State's Attorney Healy has the indirect purpose of blocking that effort.

In fighting the similar case Mr. Healy is really fighting what might become a precedent of which Cooke would take advantage.

Court Had Passed on Case.

In the case now before the Supreme court the prisoner in question is one Ralph Lipsay, a junk dealer, who was convicted of receiving stolen property a couple of years ago, but who was sent to the penitentiary only two months ago after the Supreme court had decided against him and after Judge McEwen, following six months' delay, had refused to discharge him on a writ of habeas corpus. The judge issued a second writ of habeas corpus a week ago, and unless enjoined by the Supreme court will hear the second argument for the prisoner's discharge tomorrow morning.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Supreme court by Assistant State's Attorney James Barbour and Assistant Attorney General Macsfield. The two officials prayed the court to issue a writ of certiorari requiring Judge McEwen to send to the higher court the record in the first habeas corpus proceedings on behalf of Lipsey. In addition, they asked leave to file a petition for an injunction restraining Judge McEwen from further consideration of the second attempt to free the prisoner.

Barbour Goes to Springfield.

Much secrecy surrounded the filing of the application. Mr. Barbour went to Springfield Wednesday night, but did not advertise his trip or his purpose. When the Supreme court yesterday finished its morning session the members, contrary to the usual practice, adjourned until 2 o'clock in the afternoon. When that hour arrived Barbour, Mansfield, and the clerk of the court were the only persons present besides the judges.

The application was filed and delivered immediately to Presiding Justice Hand. The latter then carried it to the private rooms on the third floor of the new building, where the justices remained secluded for the rest of the day.

"I expect a decision one way or the other in the case tomorrow morning," said Mr. Barbour in the evening. "If the Supreme court decides in our favor I probably shall spend a week in this city preparing the brief in the case. If the decision is against us, that's all there is to it."

Hope for Broad Decision.

If the court permits the writ of certiorari to be filed it will mean in effect an appeal from a habeas corpus decision. Under the law there is no appeal in habeas corpus proceedings. By a writ of certiorari, however, the Supreme court can compel a lower court to bring to it the record of proceedings held in a habeas corpus case. The state prosecutors hope the higher tribunal will then decide that no lower court has legal power to grant or even hear an application for habeas corpus on the part of a convicted prisoner whose case has been reviewed by the Supreme court and the judgment sustained.

The plea for the injunction is made in the belief that it is a more direct way than certiorari to head off threatened action in the lower court.

Fight Already a Long One.

The case of Lipsey is a long one already. He was indicted in 1905 for receiving a quantity of electric light sockets alleged to have been stolen from an electrical supply house. He was tried before Judge Pinckney and convicted of receiving stolen property. The judgment was entered in October, 1906. The case went eventually to the Supreme court, which affirmed the conviction in April, 1907. The court declined to grant a rehearing of the case in the June following.

There then was left only the habeas corpus route to free Lipsey. Attorney David sued out a writ of habeas corpus for his client in Judge McEwen's court without delay. The judge issued the writ and heard the arguments for the discharge of the prisoner from custody. He took the case under advisement, but eventually refused to discharge Lipsey.

Delay in Entering Judgment.

The judgment, however, was not entered until last December, because of representations by Attorney David that the Supreme court was about to be asked again to intervene on grounds that hitherto had not been raised. David's argument in the habeas cor-

pus proceedings were that Lipsey was indicted for receiving stolen property with felonious intent, whereas the verdict did not declare him guilty of the felonious intent.

The scheme to appeal once more to the Supreme court fell through and Judge McEwen finally entered his order last December, refusing to discharge Lipsey, who then was taken to the penitentiary.

The McEwen decision in the Cooke case encouraged Attorney David to make another attempt to get his client out of prison through habeas corpus proceedings.

"Judge McEwen held that habeas corpus is the proper remedy where the Supreme court failed to pass on the question of the sufficiency of the verdict," said Mr. David. "That is what happened in the Lipsey case."

McEwen Learns of Action.

Judge McEwen, when first told of the proceeding at Springfield, reported simply as an application for a writ of certiorari, said he could not understand what it was all about. Later he was informed that Assistant Attorney General Mansfield had appeared with Mr. Barbour before the Supreme court, and he said that immediately refreshed his memory, because Mansfield had appeared in court when the Lipsey habeas corpus case first came up.

The judge was told later by THE TRIBUNE that in addition to the application for a writ of certiorari, application also had been made for a writ of injunction to estop him from hearing the second writ of habeas corpus.

Before he was told of this writ of injunction he said that if Mr. Barbour and the state's attorney had invented a method of relieving local judges from hearing habeas corpus cases, he would personally be well pleased with the discovery, and he thought that all the other judges in Chicago would feel likewise. He said he couldn't imagine how they could construe a writ of certiorari into a method for preventing a judge from hearing the cases.

Says He Is Not Worried.

Later, when told of the application for an injunction, the judge said:

"Well, it doesn't worry me much. I know nothing about the merits of the case. Lipsey was convicted of receiving stolen goods, and Attorney David sued out a writ of habeas corpus before me some time last year, the allegation being that the verdict of the jury did not show felonious intent.

"Long arguments were made, many authorities were cited, and I finally decided the case against Lipsey and Lipsey went to the penitentiary.

"Some days ago Mr. David came in to see me, and said that he would like to reargue some points, and I permitted him to do so. I issued a writ and dated it several days ahead, for next Saturday, I believe, telling Mr. David to notify the state's attorney and all persons interested. That is all I know about the case."

POLICEMAN LOSES HIS STAR FOR BEATING TWO CITIZENS.

Patrolman William Burke Is Locked Up in Cell and Men He Had Arrested Are Released.

Policeman William Burke was stripped of his star and locked up at the Hyde Park police station last night instead of the two men for whose arrest he had caused the patrol wagon to be sent to Fifty-fifth street and Cottage Grove avenue.

Burke, who has been a policeman for fifteen years, is charged with intoxication and with beating J. Curry, whom he believed to be a pickpocket. When Robert R. Clark, 3019 Grand boulevard, remonstrated with Burke for beating Curry he also was beaten by the policeman.

After the two prisoners were taken to the station they were released and Burke was placed in a cell.

ASSAULT VICTIM; SECURE $350.

Robbers Hold Up Charles Durland, River Forest Real Estate Man, and Make Their Escape.

Highwaymen assaulted Charles Durland of River Forest last night in front of 76 Pearson street and escaped with $350 in currency and checks. He was found lying in an unconscious condition on the sidewalk. Afterwards he revived in a physician's office.

Mr. Durland, who is a member of the real estate firm that bears his name at 79 Kinzie street, had been collecting rents for the Newberry estate. He said that the robbers, who seemed to be young men, slipped up behind him and felled him with their revolvers, used as clubs.

As the thieves ran from their victim they dropped $31, which was afterwards found. The East Chicago avenue police were notified but could find no clew to the men.

TO THE PUBLIC.

In view of the need of food and fuel in many poor homes in the city we believe the public and the police department ought to be advised that the Chicago Bureau of Charities maintains, in addition to its central office in the Unity building, offices at the following ten points:

	Telephone.
1500 Wabash avenue	Calumet 1207.
291 E. Thirty-first street	Douglas 1048.
822 W. Forty-seventh street	Yards 94.
6249 Kimbark avenue	Hyde Park 371.
326 W. Sixty-third street	Wentworth 942
946 S. Ashland avenue	Canal 211.
181 W. Madison street	Monroe 335.
1942 Milwaukee avenue	Humboldt 1320.
335 Lincoln avenue	Lincoln 1886.
365 Wells street	North 691.

By means of these offices, every one of which can be reached by telephone, immediate relief can be obtained in all cases of extreme and urgent destitution, regardless of nationality or religion. It must be recognized that under present conditions all relieving agencies are overburdened with applications for assistance, some of which are of course more urgent and pressing than others; it is important, therefore, that persons reporting cases of distress should give absolute facts as to conditions, and should make known the imperative urgency of the matter when such actually exists.

Employes of relieving agencies, like all human beings, are liable to err, but the best services of the bureau's workers, both paid and volunteer, are at all times at the command of the public, and more than ever when such an emergency as the present confronts the community.

GRANGER FARWELL,
President Chicago Bureau of Charities.
W. R. STIRLING, Chairman Executive Committee.

The chief of police last night issued an order that all cases of want found by the police must be reported promptly to the Bureau of Charities' nearest office.

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SUIT SHEDS LIGHT ON BANK AFFAIRS.

Row of Jackson Concern Stockholders Leads to an Attack on Joy Morton.

BOTH SIDES ARE BITTER.

Defendant Alleged to Have Made False Representations to Obtain Money.

The litigation directed against Joy Morton and his fellow directors in the Jackson Trust and Savings bank was revealed yesterday as the culmination of a row among the stockholders over the division of the remains of that ill fated institution. It was established that the Railway Exchange bank, the successor of the defunct concern, is in no way affected by the litigation.

The eight stockholders who started the suit for an accounting and the defendant directors spent the day exchanging charges and counter charges of bad faith and fraud. Morton was accused of attempting to unload $212,313 of worthless securities on innocent stockholders.

On the other hand, the complaining stockholders were characterized by the Morton faction as "pikers" who thought they were getting in on a good thing when they bought their stock at par, but now are unwilling to shoulder their obligations.

Mr. Morton was out of the city, and his secretary, Daniel Peterkin, did the talking for his employer and the other defendant directors, B. F. De Muth, William Morrison, and L. T. Dickason. Attorney Harrison Musgrave represented the complainants, Frederic F. and John V. Norcross, Leverett Thompson, James K. Sebree, J. A. Sim, T. F. Donovan, J. R. Short, and R. D. Salisbury.

Important Question at Issue.

The court will be asked to determine whether the $212,313 advanced to the bank to save it from disaster was a purchase price for the bad securities or merely a loan to tide the institution over its difficulties. If it was an outright purchase Morton and his associates will be compelled to stand the loss, but if it was a loan the complaining stockholders will be required to contribute about $22,000 of the amount.

"When the Creelman failure involved the Jackson Trust and Savings bank and exposed the nature of some of its loans Mr. Morton came forward to save the bank and his own business reputation," said Attorney Musgrave. "He and his fellow directors were responsible for the presence of worthless securities in the bank.

"The worthless securities were taken out of the bank and replaced by good money. Then Mr. Morton issued a statement to the stockholders, the depositors, and the public at large announcing what had been done. This restored confidence, and the run on the bank ceased.

"A few months later the bank went out of business. On the last day of its existence Morton and his fellow directors caused the bank to refund the $212,313 and take back the bad securities."

Mr. Musgrave asserted it was the distinct understanding that Morton had made a bona fide purchase of the securities, and that there was no agreement that he should be reimbursed by the bank.

Morton's Side Makes Statement.

The Morton side of the controversy was presented in this statement, signed by Directors Peterkin, De Muth, and Morrison and Attorney Elmer H. Adams:

"The liquidation of the assets of the Jackson Trust and Savings bank is proceeding under the full approval of over 90 per cent of its stockholders and of the state auditor. The stockholders bringing the present suit own less than 10 per cent of the stock of the bank and most of them bought their stock on ill advised information after the bank had got into trouble, perhaps with the idea that they would benefit and profit through the action of Mr. Morton and his associates, who, at considerable personal sacrifice, had provided the money with which to pay all depositors in full.

"Their chagrin at their failure to profit by the action of others and their inability to force those others to buy their stock at a high price is undoubtedly the basis for the present suit, which in itself is unimportant and is simply a rehash of a similar suit filed some time ago by the owner of ten shares of stock and which was dismissed."

False Representations Alleged.

Attorney Musgrave's rejoinder to this sally was that five of his eight clients had owned stock in the bank before the scandal developed

"But attracted by Morton's letter to the stockholders in which he described how he had put the bank on its feet three others bought stock and one of the old five bought more stock," said Mr. Musgrave. "These persons came into the bank upon false representations."

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATION FOR MICHIGAN TREASURER.

Judge Instructs Inquisitorial Body to Ascertain if Glazier Has Used Office for Personal Gain.

Mason, Mich., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Investigation of the transactions of former State Treasurer Frank P. Glazier was begun by the grand jury at Mason today.

Judge Wiest asked the jury to ascertain whether the state treasurer in selecting depositories for state money and in making deposits had turned the affairs of the state in any manner to his pecuniary advantage, and whether he made loans in banks in which he was a controlling factor.

It was pointed out that officers have no right to use their positions of trust for private gain, and that if the state treasurer has done so, he has broken a trust and diverted the money of the state to his own pocket. In such case, it was said, he may be held accountable for embezzlement.

Reference was made to the binder twine bill before the last legislature, and the jury was directed to investigate and determine whether any one had made an attempt to defeat and hinder legislation by the commission of any crime in the county.

FORM NEW SOCIAL SOCIETY.

Sons and Daughters of Confederate Veterans, Living in Chicago, Organize the "Southern Pickets."

Sons and daughters of confederate veterans and others who hail from south of Mason and Dixon's line, now residing in Chicago, have formed a social society known as the "Southern Pickets." Seventy-five charter members were enrolled in the new club, and it is expected this number will be greatly increased.

The officers elected are:
Don Farnsworth, president.
Henry A. Blossat, vice president.
Miss Alice Thompson, treasurer.
Thomas E. Kelly, secretary.

A dance will be given Feb. 21, the eve of Washington's birthday, at the Grand Pacific hotel, by the new oraginzation.

MAN FOUND DEAD ON SIDEWALK

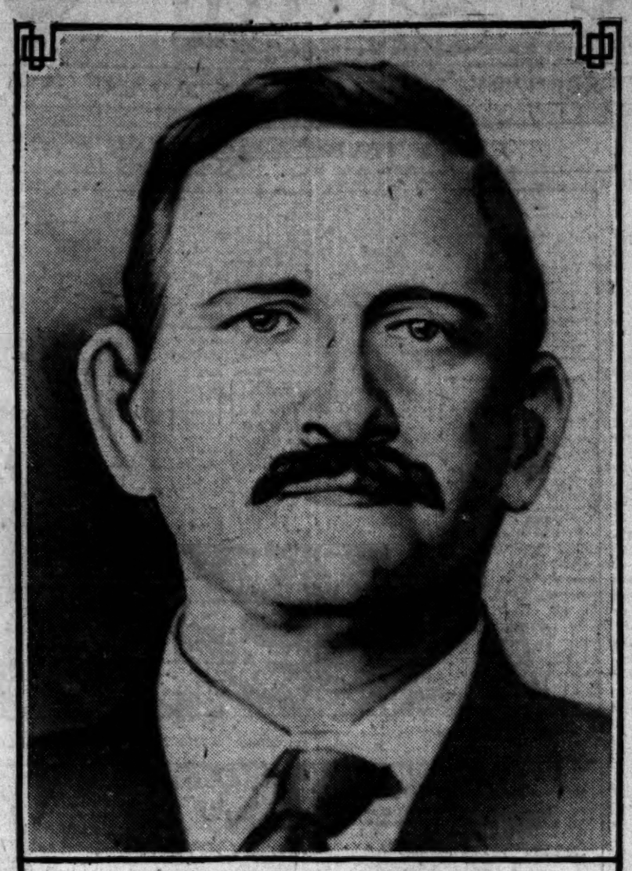
Card in His Pocket Bears the Name of John E. Conroy, 264 Elm Street.

A man was found dead last night on the sidewalk in West Monroe street, near Paulina street, by E. I. Dunne, 644 West Monroe street, and W. E. Penney Jr., 56 Park avenue.

They notified the Warren avenue police, who took the body to the county morgue. Dr. C. H. Fitch, 645 West Monroe street, said he believed heart disease caused the man's death.

A card bearing the name "John E. Conroy, 264 Elm street," was found on the body.

Famous Feudist Killed by His Own Son.



JAMES HARGIS

Judge James Hargis, leader of the Hargis faction of the Breathitt county (Ky.) feudists, was shot and killed in his general store at Jackson, Ky., yesterday by his son, Beach. The killing is supposed to have resulted from a quarrel over the young man's drinking habits.

GIRL SWINDLER IS PITIED

Prosecution of Estella Taylor Marked by Unusual Leniency.

COURT WILL DECIDE TODAY.

Strong Evidence Given to Prove Young Woman's Mind Deranged.

Estella Taylor, Minneapolis coed and embryo lawyer, was placed on trial yesterday before Justice Boyer of Evanston on charges of passing worthless checks. She underwent what was perhaps one of the most remarkable preliminary hearings either Chicago or Evanston ever has had.

She admitted her guilt readily, but made statements while on the stand which only strengthened the presumption of an unsettled mind which formed in the testimony procured in her favor by her counsel one of the features of the trial.

For nearly seven hours, with only a short recess at noon, the taking of testimony and arguments of counsel continued, and so complicated did matters become and so great was the doubt raised as to the real responsibility of her acts that Justice Boyer reserved his decision until 9 o'clock this morning.

Four Evanston witnesses identified her as the person for whom they had cashed worthless checks, but they showed the utmost consideration for the girl in her strange plight, as did also the prosecuting police witnesses, the prosecuting attorney, and others who might have been expected to deal harshly with her.

Girl Tells Her Life Story.

Miss Taylor was put upon the stand and questioned by Charles G. Neely, her counsel. She told the story of her life since the time when she was 2 years old when she was given away by a heartless mother.

"When did the thought first come to you to write out the worthless checks?" Mr. Neely asked.

"I don't know," she answered. "I can't remember the first check or what prompted it. An insane desire to experiment with it, to play with fire, came over me at some time. I didn't need the money because if I had needed it there was $600 in the safe in Galesburg the night I left which I never touched. Some impelling force dragged at me and was stronger than my will or my reason."

She told of making an aimless trip to Evanston on a railroad train and of finding in the car five blank checks which a man had dropped.

"I walked around for a while and then went into a drug store to get some chocolate," she went on. "There I saw a pen and the idea came to fill out the checks. I made them out standing at the counter and when I went out I walked around and went into stores haphazard cashing them."

Sticks to False Statements.

Miss Taylor was submitted to a severe cross examination to prove that these obviously false statements were only her imaginings. Her guilt she admitted without a question, but it was not possible to make her admit that she got the checks at the Annex, as she did the previous one which she passed six weeks earlier in Chicago.

J. J. Cassell of Minneapolis, uncle of the young woman, testified that he had come to the conclusion a year ago that her mental state was unbalanced.

Dr. E. D. Kelly of Evanston testified that he had treated Miss Taylor for neuralgia three times since her arrest.

"On my first visit to her," he said, "when I went expecting to find a bold and possibly hardened woman, I was struck by the outward symptoms of mental unsoundness which she displayed."

In his closing speech for the defense, Attorney Neely said:

"In the case of my client it has been shown that until her mental peculiarities were noticed she had a character as beautiful as any we know of. It is inconceivable that from the heights of purity she should suddenly have dropped into wickedness without an unsettling of the mind. She is not mentally sound and is not responsible for her acts."

More than 200 persons stood during the entire day, packing the courtroom to suffocation.

TRACTION MAIMING GOES ON.

Boy Is Injured Slightly and Woman's Arm Is Broken by Electric Cars.

A Lake Street elevated railroad train on surface tracks at Austin avenue station struck and upset a sleigh in which several persons were riding. All escaped injury except James Stevens of Oak Park, 16 years old, who was injured slightly.

Mrs. John Barnes of Mount Gilead, O., was caught between a Madison street car and a wagon at State and Madison streets, and her left arm was broken. Her husband, who was with her, suffered slight injuries.

John Patterson, 53 years old, who lived at Harvey, was killed by a passenger train of the Illinois Central railroad in Harvey.

BOOKS DENY TISDELLE'S TALE

Private Banker Unable to Explain Entries in Cash Accounts

QUESTIONS MAKE HIM ANGRY

Declares Interest in Island of Padre Is Worth $500,000.

The statement made by Archie C. Tisdelle, owner of the defunct private bank at 94 La Salle street, that his arrest last December caused a $90,000 run on his bank, precipitating his ruin, was contradicted by the banker's own books yesterday during his hearing before Referee in Bankruptcy Sidney C. Eastman.

Mr. Tisdelle was arrested on the charge of swindling Mrs. Mary Jane Horan, a widow, out of some $1,700, and was acquitted of the charge. When the notes signed by Mrs. Horan were brought into the case on Tuesday, Mr. Tisdelle caused a scene by charging Julius Timm, a friend of Mrs. Horan, with ruining him financially.

In course of the hearing Mr. Tisdelle startled his inquisitors by declaring that his interest in the island of Padre, off the coast of Texas, is worth $500,000. The attorneys for Receiver Niblack regard the interest as another gold brick—not the only one contained in the Tisdelle assets.

However it was agreed between Attorneys James Rosenthal and John J. Symes, for the receiver, and Attorney Jacob Ringer, representing Mr. Tisdelle, that the island claim will be investigated. In the meantime the whereabouts of W. F. Brink, who turned over the island deed to Tisdelle, is the most mysterious angle to the case.

Tisdelle Is Angry.

Mr. Tisdelle showed more life yesterday than at previous hearings. While he continued to declare "I don't know," at times he became wrathy. In reply to Attorney Rosenthal's pressing questions at one time Mr. Tisdelle flared up:

"I told you I do not know. What do you think I am, a walking encyclopedia? You have everything I've got. What more do you want? Do you want me to manufacture you some property? Instead of being here I ought to be allowed to work and get things straightened out to pay my creditors."

"You are here to help us do just that thing," returned Attorney Rosenthal.

"Well, you can't do it."

"It does look doubtful," replied the attorney, jestingly.

Attorney Rosenthal opened the hearing by questions about the notes signed by Mrs. Horan, and the subsequent arrest of the banker.

"You say this case was the cause of the failure of your bank?" he was asked.

"Yes."

"In what way?"

"Causing the withdrawal of money on deposit."

"Between Dec. 28, the day you was arrested, and Jan. 21, when you made the assignment, how much was withdrawn?"

"About $30,000."

Asked to Explain Books.

Attorney Rosenthal then shoved the bank's cash book across the table to Mr. Tisdelle.

"Doesn't that show that on Dec. 28 there was on deposit $67,462?"

"It seems so."

"And that on Jan. 21 there were $61,500 deposits? How do you figure that $30,000 was withdrawn? A little more than $6,000 in my estimation."

Tisdelle was at a loss for an answer.

The banker's fine span of roan driving horses and numerous turnouts which are familiar figures on the north side boulevards are not an asset of the bank.

"I gave them to my wife for a wedding present," he said.

The banker's accounts show that his young wife drew as high as $400 a month out of the bank.

JAG COST 4 YEARS IN PRISON.

Iowan Breaks Parole Obtained by Y. M. C. A. and Is Sent Back to Serve Out Six Year Term.

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Because he valued a carouse more than over four years of liberty, H. Hamilton, said to have been once a wealthy man, is in the county jail here awaiting the coming of officials from Iowa, who will take him back to prison.

Hamilton, a man of education and refinement, in a drunken stupor, is alleged to have forged a check and was sent to the Iowa state prison for six years. Directors of the Kenosha Y. M. C. A. obtained his parole on condition that the association would give him employment and see that he abstained from intoxicants. The parole was kept for months, but a few days ago the secretary found Hamilton intoxicated and at once notified the Iowa authorities.

Hamilton recognized the justice of the action and his only comment was, "It's a high price to pay for one drunk."

TWO WOMEN CLAIM ONE MAN'S NAME.

Miss Anna Reingold and Mrs. Sarah Dossin Bring Police Same Photographs.

BOTH ASK FOR REVENGE.

Write Letters to Two Other Victims Who Live in Montreal and New York.

Two women, both claiming to be the wife of the same man, both charging him with desertion, and both having letters purporting to prove that he was the husband of two other women, were introduced to each other yesterday for the first time in Police Inspector Lavin's office at the Maxwell street police station.

Miss Anna Reingold, 539 South Halsted street, wife No. 4, reported to Capt. Mahoney that her husband, Julius Marshall, whom she had married five weeks ago, had deserted her a week later after securing $200 from her.

Mrs. Sarah Dossin, wife No. 3 of St. Louis, who is said to have married Marshall under the name of Benjamin Dossin, followed her husband to Chicago, and asked Inspector Lavin to find him. Both women had photographs of the missing man.

Sergeant Frank Benardy of the inspector's office was the person to discover that Marshall and Dossin were the same. The pictures were identical.

Introduces Wife No. 3 to No. 4.

"Ladies," he said, "let me introduce wife No. 3 to wife No. 4."

"Why, you've got my husband's picture," cried Miss Reingold.

"I have not," replied Mrs. Dossin. "That is the photograph of my husband and you've got his picture in your hand."

"But this is my husband," answered Miss Reingold. "I married him five weeks ago."

"I married him three years ago," replied Mrs. Dossin.

"Are you Mrs. Julius Brownstone of Montreal, Canada?" she continued. "I've got letters to prove that my husband married her before he did me."

"No, I am not Mrs. Brownstone, but are you Mrs. Rosa Dossick of New York? I've got letters to prove that my husband married her before he married me."

"No, I'm not," replied Mrs. Dossin. "I'm from St. Louis, Mo. I guess there must have been four of us."

"How much did he get from you?" asked the St. Louis wife.

"About $200," said the Chicago wife.

"I beat you," said Mrs. Dossin. "He got $3,000 from me."

Mrs. Dossin and Miss Reingold then joined hands and promised each other that they would leave no stone unturned to bring Marshall to justice.

"Let's write to the Montreal wife and the New York wife and get them to help us," said Mrs. Dossin.

Write to Other Wives.

The women sat down at Inspector Lavin's desk and wrote wife No. 1 and No. 2.

Mrs. Dossin returned to St. Louis, but before she left the station she handed Capt. Mahoney the following letter to be given to her successor in the affections of her husband:

Dear Miss Reingold: By the time you receive this letter I hope our rascal husband will be in jail, where he belongs. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for making me feel so hopeful. God bless you for helping me. I never knew such a happy moment in my life as when I learned that he could be punished for his sins. As soon as they arrest him let me know right away and I will come back to Chicago. O, how sweet revenge is on the man who ruined my life forever. Dear Miss Reingold, if he is in Chicago let me know, for I heard that he had gone to Cleveland. Vengeance is to be ours. Your true friend,

MRS. S. DOSSIN.
1024 South Ninth street, St. Louis, Mo.

Married Against Family's Wishes.

"I am cast off by my parents," said Miss Reingold, "because I married Marshall against their wishes. I'll never rest a minute until I see him behind the penitentiary bars.

"Charges of wife abandonment are filed in the Municipal court against Marshall," said Inspector Lavin. "As soon as we catch him the additional charge of bigamy will be placed against him. Marshall posed in Chicago as a wealthy real estate man."

Irish Fellowship Club to Entertain.

The Irish Fellowship club at a luncheon tomorrow will entertain Mr. Fiske O'Hara, now leading man in the Dion O'Dare company. The club will be addressed by Mr. William A. Brennan on "Irish Art and Irish Artists." Miss May Duffin will sing.

To produce mail order sales of an article selling for a few cents is one thing, and to be able to sell direct by advertising articles running up into dollars is quite another.

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"Our advertising man is now at work on future advertisements, and will communicate with you promptly.

"Very truly yours,
"PITTSBURG PORTABLE RADIATOR COMPANY,
"(Signed) J. M. DAFFRON
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Illustrated by Charlotte Weber

The book contains six illustrations from drawings by Charlotte Weber which add much to its charm. It is well printed on excellent paper and tastefully bound in cloth. The size is 12mo, 5¼x8 inches. The book, with two of Miss Weber's original drawings, is displayed in one of the windows of our Wabash Avenue Book and Stationery Room.

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HOSTS OF NAMES FOR OPEN SUNDAY

United Societies Get 168,062 Signatures for Petitions for a Referendum.

"CLOSERS" ARE BUSY, TOO

Plans for Great Demonstrations Are Made by Both Sides in the Struggle.

Thirteen thousand and fifty feet of signatures, representing the desire of exactly 168,062 voters to pass upon the merits of the Sunday saloon question, have insured the appearance of a little ballot bearing this question at the spring election, April 7.

The great mass of petitions which have been circulated by workers for the United Societies was gathered together last evening, making a formidable appearance as they were prepared for the binder. Stacked together they make a pile six feet and eight inches high. They expect to have 20,000 more names, too.

Incidentally, the United societies have broken all records in the matter of circulating petitions. In five days they have secured more names, they assert, than ever before were gathered together on any petition in the same length of time. To say the saloon adherents are jubilant over their success is too mild to express their feelings. They are hilariously joyous. They declare the votes which these petitions represent guarantee an overwhelming majority for an open Sunday.

This morning the petitions will be loaded on a dray and carried triumphantly to the office of the election commissioners in the city hall. A guard of honor, consisting of John Koelling, president of the United Societies; Anton Cermak, secretary of the same organization; Adolph Traub, E. T. Noonan, and Charles C. Gilbert, will accompany the petitions.

Plans for Big Demonstration.

Details for the demonstration on Sunday were completed in the afternoon. A long list of speakers was made up, including the names of Anton Cermak, Leopold Neumann, Raymond Robins, E. T. Noonan, William Ravigato, and George Pfeiffer. Addresses are to be made in English, German, Italian, and Bohemian.

Mr. Neumann declared that because of the great numbers of organizations which had planned to be present, it would be necessary to hold at least a score of open air meetings aside from the main meeting at First Regiment armory. Chief of Police Shippy granted a blanket permit for the parade which may traverse any street or boulevard in the city by right of this authority.

"There will be at least 200,000 persons present at these meetings, and the greater number of them will take part in the procession," said Mr. Neumann. "There are a great number of turner organizations which will have a parade of their own. They will march from several directions, congregating at Van Buren and Clark streets and marching from there to the armory. I believe this will be the greatest demonstration of the sort that Chicago ever has seen."

It is apparent that the saloon question will be the one political issue at the aldermanic election in April. The United Societies are preparing to push the issue and representatives of the anti-saloon leagues announced, during the day, that they were planning to carry on their fight against Sunday saloons with renewed vigor.

Anti-Saloon Men Active Also.

The offices of the Law and Order league in Association building fairly hummed with the business going on there in preparation of the counter demonstrations to be held on the following Sunday.

The league sprung a surprise upon the saloon men in the form of a new sort of prosecution. Joseph Frugoli, a saloonkeeper at 2200 West Harrison street, was arrested on a warrant charging violation of the city ordinance governing Sunday closing of saloons. Heretofore all such prosecutions have been under the state law and no such move had been expected by the liquor men.

However, Frugoli was supplied with legal advice by the Liquor Dealers' association and a continuance was demanded until March 6. The case was transferred from Judge Himes' court to that of Judge Heap. The warrant was sworn out by Edward Bridgeman, a representative of the Chicago Law and Order league.

Farwell Says It's Revolution.

Arthur Burrage Farwell became only the more energetic as the fight waxed hotter with the unusual activity of the liquor interests and the United Societies.

"This is just a whisky and beer revolution," he declared, in speaking of Sunday's demonstration. "The men who are parading merely want to violate a state law and they are getting out and trying to influence others to violate the law. It is just as much a revolution as when the southerners refused to recognize the laws previous to the civil war.

"The juries which refused to enforce the state law regarding Sunday closing figuratively speaking said 'To h— with the state! We're bigger than the state.' That was what caused the civil war and it looks as if the situation today is just as serious."

In support of his statement that the big brewers were violating the law in more ways than the keeping saloons open on Sunday, Mr. Farwell told of a conversation he had some days ago with Adam Ortseifen, president of the McAvoy Brewing company. He said he placed a bunch of bills for beer sold by the McAvoy Brewing company in the prohibition territory of Hyde Park in Mr. Ortseifen's hands and asked him if he would not recognize the prohibition line and cease delivering beer there.

"The substance of this man's reply," said Mr. Farwell, "was that his was a manufacturing business and he would sell his wares wherever he found purchasers."

Massmeetings in Churches.

Plans for special services, massmeetings, and various sorts of demonstrations are under way by the Law and Order league and various churches which have pledged themselves to support it. A massmeeting will be held on Feb. 23 at the Presbyterian church of Englewood, Sixty-fourth street and Yale avenue, at which action on the drink issues will be taken.

STILL LOVES ABSENT WIFE WHO WON'T PAY HIS DEBTS.

Daniel Brouse Southard Undisturbed by Helpmeet's Advertisement and Says Yachting Actually Nets Him Profits.

Far be it from Daniel Brouse Southard to be disturbed by a public advertisement by his wife refusing to be any longer responsible for his debts.

"I love my wife just as dearly now as I ever did, and that is putting it strong," said Mr. Southard last night. "I am not going to allow spiteful intruders to make trouble. Mrs. Southard went to California on account of our son's health, and ever since she has been there we have exchanged letters.

"That notice in THE TRIBUNE was not inserted by Mrs. Southard. It is the work of enemies. I am making big money. The talk of my devotion to yachting having estranged us is nonsense. That is my business."

Quite a different story, however, was told by Mrs. Marquette A. Healy, Mrs. Southard's sister.

"My sister has been paying his extravagant personal expenses and his business losses for so long that even her patience gave out," said Mrs. Healy. "The man is no good. He has failed in three businesses since his marriage, and Mrs. Southard has paid the bills. I do not think it was his devotion to yachting that caused the separation. If he had given more time to yachting and less to business I think he would have not been able to run up such business debts as he did. He failed in the automobile business a year ago for $40,000."

Stack of Sunday Saloon Petitions Collected by the United Societies.

SAY ROBES WILL ADD DIGNITY.

Judges Think the Wearing of Gowns Should Create Respect.

JUSTICE OLSON OPPOSES IT.

Esteem of Foreigners Will Be Secured, Asserts A. C. Barnes.

Judges of the Superior and Circuit courts yesterday expressed themselves in favor of adopting robes for the judiciary of Cook county. Most of the jurists took the position that the wearing of robes by the judges would surround the courts with a degree of dignity and serve to enhance respect for the law.

Chief Justice Harry Olson was inclined to oppose the wearing of robes by Municipal court judges. He pointed out that judicial wisdom and integrity depended upon the character of the occupant of the bench, and not upon any outward symbol in the shape of a long, black robe.

One of the strong points in favor of robes was brought out by Judge Albert C. Barnes of the Superior court. He said robes would tend to create wholesome respect for the courts and for law and order among foreign born citizens who have come from countries where the courts and the judiciary are surrounded by greater solemnity than in the United States.

Would Impress Foreigners.

"Personally, I should prefer not to wear robes," said Judge Barnes. "There is in this country a large class of foreign born citizens who lose respect for the law by seeing the slipshod methods in our courts. The wearing of robes would tend to create a respect for the courts among these people. If we were all educated, intelligent, and intellectual, I presume there would be no need of symbols, but outward signs and tokens of authority and dignity are absolutely necessary to impress some people. I favor adopting robes for these reasons."

"Robes would increase the dignity of court procedure," said Judge Ben M. Smith of the Superior court. "I favor wearing robes if all the judges will agree to do so. I should be governed in the matter by public opinion. If the community is in favor of seeing the judges in robes on the bench, then it is right that the judges should adopt the custom."

Could Tell Judge from Clerk.

"I am in favor of wearing robes," said Judge Axel Chytraus. "The gowns will add solemnity to the courts and serve to distinguish judges from clerks and bailiffs. Our courts have been too loosely conducted in the past. We need to surround the bench and the judiciary with all the dignity and solemnity we can, consistent with American institutions and with common sense. There is nothing that is more conducive to respect for the law in European countries than the solemnity with which the courts are surrounded."

Judge George A. Carpenter of the Circuit court said he favored robes because the custom elevates the bench in the esteem and respect of both the bar and the general public. He said the innovation of robes in the courts of New York and Massachusetts has proved to be a success.

"It is immaterial to me whether the judges wear robes or not," said Judge Gibbons. "It all depends on the man and not on the robes. If the wearing of robes will create respect for law and order I am heartily in favor of it."

"I am personally opposed to the idea of robes in nisi prius courts," said Judge Merritt W. Pinckney. "It is true gowned judges increase the solemnity of the courts, but I doubt that I should wear a gown unless it is the wish of the Bar association and the judges."

Says Gowns Add Dignity.

"Gowns add dignity to the courts, and anything tending to increase the dignity of the judiciary and the courts is good," said Judge Charles W. Walker.

"I am not in favor of robes for the judges of the Municipal courts," said Judge Olson. "If the judges are not just, wise, and courageous robes will not make them so."

CONQUERS FRIGHT; GIVES SKIN

Mrs. Robert Eitel Tells of Fear Before Self-Sacrifice.

FIRST TO AID HER HUSBAND.

Injured Man's Friends Also Submit to Grafting Operation.

Mrs. Robert Eitel, wife of one of the owners of the Bismarck hotel and restaurant, yesterday told of her sensations when six square inches of skin were removed from her arms and grafted upon her husband's body.

Mr. Eitel was injured in a street car accident several weeks ago, when his leg was severed below the knee. The wound refused to heal, and a skin grafting operation was advised. A dozen friends of Mr. Eitel volunteered to donate cuticle, but Mrs. Eitel demanded the right to be the first to have a portion of her skin used by the surgeons.

"You have just got to be brave, and it hurts, but one never cares about those little things when they remember they are doing something for one they love," said Mrs. Eitel at the North Chicago hospital, where her husband is a patient.

Frightened, but Determined.

"I am so glad Dr. Heck, who performed the operation, took the first skin to be used from my arms. I just had to do my share, you know, towards making my husband well. Yes, I was frightened a little. Any woman would have been. Robert was unconscious from ether when I walked into the operating room. Everything was so white and clean and the knives glistened so. I trembled all over, but I was determined not to give up.

"Then a surgeon told me to sit down in a chair and my arm was sterilized. He took a big hypodermic syringe and shoved the needle into the arm. He did that two or three times until the skin became numb. Then another doctor took a knife and sliced the cuticle off. It hurt awfully, but I didn't care.

"They laid the pieces of skin on Mr. Eitel's wounded leg. When my arm was dressed I was sent out of the room and the other men came in. In all forty long strips of skin were transplanted."

Fellow Bowlers Give Skin.

Among others who gave skin to aid Mr. Eitel were members of a bowling club to which he belonged. They were Harry Smith, associated with Mayor Busse in the latter's coal business; Attorney Jacob Loeb, Sergeant Michael Loftus, Garrett Donoghue, L. Curran, Frank Walker, Charles Stevenson, John W. Becker, James McAvoy, A. Clifford, Frank Smith, Ernest Wickert, Joseph Thome, William Crawford, H. W. Freeman, and Max Benzing.

YOUNG RUNAWAY GIRLS FOUND.

Anna Fisher of Morris and Ora Gauston of Elgin Come to Chicago with Older Men.

Anna Fisher, a 14 year old girl of Morris, Ill., told Judge Wells yesterday that Elmer Sparks, a former resident of Morris, had persuaded her to elope with him to Chicago. They were arrested at the Albion hotel, 100 Halsted street, having been followed by detectives who noticed her youthful appearance.

Sparks admitted that he had a wife in Ottawa, Ill. F. C. Smith, the proprietor of the hotel, was scored by the court and an investigation is being made regarding the conduct of his hotel. Sparks was bound over to the grand jury in bonds of $2,000.

Another 14 year old girl, Ora Gauston, was found by the police yesterday, having run away from her stepfather in Elgin. The police say that she came to Chicago with A. J. Hornung, a professional roller skater, of Cincinnati. Hornung said that she had told him that she was going to visit relatives in Chicago and that until they reached the city he did not know she had left without consent.

84 COUNTIES IN A JOUST WITH BOOZE

Hot Campaigns Against John Barleycorn Promised in Fourteen Cities.

LEAGUE SEES VICTORY.

E. A. Scrogin Thinks Local Option Will Win in Contest Next April.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Headed by what promise to be hot campaigns in Springfield, Bloomington, and Decatur, residents of eighty-four Illinois counties will vote on the saloon question in the spring. Today was the last day for filing petitions asking that the issue be submitted to the voters, and reports received from many counties indicate that the anti-saloon adherents have been successful in obtaining enough signatures to allow the question to be balloted on at the polls. It is estimated that 1,200 towns will take part in the contest.

Ernest A. Scrogin, attorney for the Anti-Saloon league of Illinois and district superintendent, whose headquarters are in this city, declares that from reports received within the last few days it is certain that 90 per cent of the townships in the counties in his jurisdiction will vote on the question. In a statement today Mr. Scrogin reviews the situation. It is evident that the league officials are enthusiastic over the outlook.

Last Day a Busy One.

"Today was the last day for filing local option petitions in townships throughout Illinois," says Mr. Scrogin's statement, "and from reports it has been a busy day. I have received reports from fifty townships in twenty counties within my jurisdiction, and am satisfied that 90 to 95 per cent will vote on the question of the creation of anti-saloon territory under the local option law.

"Since the precinct elections Nov. 5, the anti-saloon league has been organizing and preparing for the filing of these petitions. In six districts comprising the state, there has been an unprecedented demand for the assistance of the league officials. Never before has there been so much popular feeling on the question, and I believe it due to the fact that never before have people had an opportunity to settle the question for themselves.

Sentiment for Local Option.

"A glance at the territory in the state that is preparing to avail itself of the privileges of the local option measure demonstrates that there is today an overwhelming sentiment everywhere for local option. In my district—the counties of Ford, McLean, De Witt, Logan, Tazewell, Mason, Macon, Shelby, Christian, Fayette, Cumberland, Montgomery, Macoupin, Greene, Jersey, Pike, Adams, Brown, Schuyler, and Sangamon—there will be a vote in practically every township. I am confident that out of 350 townships 325 will vote. These conditions are not the result of hothouse methods of organization; they represent substantial and permanent public sentiment. It is well known what the results of the election Nov. 5 were and how sweeping. I went through that campaign, and I am satisfied that sentiment now, in the territory that will vote in April, is just as widespread as it was in the counties that voted Nov. 5.

"It may be surprising to some who have not been in touch with this matter to know that there is not a county in the state among the eighty-four under township organization that will not vote on this question in some part of its territory in April. Furthermore, cities like Freeport, Rockford, Elgin, Waukegan, Aurora, Moline, Galesburg, Pontiac, Joliet, Danville, Vandalia, Decatur, Bloomington, Springfield, and a host of lesser cities will try conclusions with the saloon.

"Every indication points to results commensurate with those of Nov. 5. I discern no difference in sentiment between the southern and northern sections of the state, and I am satisfied that local option will receive a most emphatic indorsement April 7."

LOCAL OPTION PLEA TO HOUSE.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Representatives of the prohibition party, the Anti-Saloon League of America, the Woman's Christian Temperance union, the Presbyterian church, the United Presbyterian church, and other Christian organizations appeared today before the house committee on the judiciary to urge a favorable report on one or more of the bills introduced to protect "dry" local option districts from receipt of interstate as well as intrastate shipments of liquor; that is, to bestow the right of border line confiscation of liquors shipped to destinations within prohibition districts.

The Rev. S. E. Nicholson of Harrisburg, Pa., legislative superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of America, and state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Pennsylvania, spoke for those organizations; Prof. Charles Scanlon of Pittsburg for the Presbyterian church, Finley Hendrickson of Cumberland, Md., for the prohibition party, and Mr. Ray of Pennsylvania for the United Presbyterian church. Present for the Woman's Christian Temperance union were the national president, Mrs. L. H. N. Stevens of Portland, Me., the national secretary, Miss Gordon, and the national executive superintendent, Miss Ellis. Representative Bartholdt of Missouri, chairman of the committee on public buildings and grounds, made an argument against the proposed measures in behalf of the national German-American alliance.

Representative Clayton of Alabama, a member of the committee, whose attitude supports federal protection of prohibition districts, questioned some of the prohibition speakers as to the legal right of the states to invoke federal excise protection in the face of voluntary surrender to the government of the rights now sought to be reobtained. It was agreed that briefs should be submitted on this point.

START MADE ON FOREST PARK.

Ground Is Broken for Amusement Resort to Be Established in Old Village of Harlem.

Breaking of ground for the new amusement park at Forest Park was witnessed yesterday by the officers of the Forest Park Fair Grounds Amusement company, a number of stockholders and concessionnaires, and officers of the village of Oak Park.

E. E. Roberts of Oak Park, supervising architect for the park company, was master of ceremonies. The projectors say they will spend $1,000,000 on the park and have it ready to open on June 7.

The village board of Forest Park recently adopted resolutions claiming the park as an institution that will bring to the village a big financial investment, "which will aid materially the treasury of our village and which will furnish employment to hundreds of our residents."

FIRE CAPTAIN ON A RAMPAGE.

Policemen Reassure Clerk by Seizing Frank Weller, Who Is Also La Grange Deputy.

Frank Weller, captain of the fire department and deputy United States marshal at La Grange, was arrested yesterday morning in a drug store at Twenty-second and State streets by Policemen Caldwell, Jones, White, Galvin, and Griffin. He is charged with being intoxicated and terrorizing the clerk in the drug store by flourishing a revolver. According to the police, Weller pawned three rings, supposedly purchased, on account, for his wife, and used the money in riotous living.

Will Set Scale of Wages.

Employing painters and decorators of Chicago will meet at the Sherman house tomorrow evening to consider wages for the ensuing two years. In the notice sent out all who employ union labor were urged to attend.

ATTORNEYS ROLL IN CLINCH

Francis W. Walker and Louis A. Seeberger Gladiators?

LEAVE COURT; THEN CLASH.

Excitement on Heels of Alleged Threat in Northwestern Suit.

Francis W. Walker, one of the attorneys in the Northwestern railroad condemnation proceedings, and Louis A. Seeberger, a land value expert, had a personal encounter yesterday noon in the corridor outside the courtroom of Judge Axel Chytraus.

As to just how serious it was reports differ. One account says they came to blows and rolled on the floor, with Walker underneath. According to another story, they just rubbed up against each other, then clinched, and broke away before their friends realized just what it was about.

"I have nothing to say," said Mr. Walker last night when he was asked about the mixup. "There is a jury in the box. When the case is over I'll tell all about it."

Which, of course, led one to believe it was more serious than some of the others would admit. Mr. Seeberger was not at his residence in Riverside last night.

The condemnation proceedings, which have been in progress ever since Sept. 3, 1907, relate to pieces of land desired by the railroad for its new depot on the west side.

Mr. Seeberger has acted as purchasing agent for the railroad company in a large number of real estate transactions. His testimony on the witness stand frequently has irritated Mr. Walker, who at times is peppery.

Sarcasm Fuel to Flames.

Mr. Seeberger, at the morning session, made a request of a book or a document on a table near Mr. Walker, and the latter made some sarcastic observation. At the close of the noon session as Mr. Seeberger was reaching for his hat, Mr. Walker bumped into him—accidently, it is stated. Mr. Seeberger made a motion as though he would bump into Mr. Walker.

"What are you doing in my way, then?" Mr. Walker is reported to have said in his most belligerent manner. Then Mr. Seeberger said something that sounded suspiciously like:

"If you come outside, I'll punch your nose."

Of course this added fuel to the flames of Mr. Walker's wrath. They rushed outside into the hall, clinched, and rolled on the floor with Mr. Walker underneath, according to one innocent bystander. It is said to have taken the combined efforts of the bailiffs, attorneys, and the innocent bystander to pry them apart.

Judge and All in Dark.

Judge Chytraus heard nothing about the encounter, and said it must have been kept exceedingly quiet, for the bailiffs and the lawyers, of whom there were several on both sides, said they, too, were uninformed. They admitted there had been words between the two, but as to blows—well, there might have been a blow or two, but they did not see them.

"It isn't wise to have anything printed about such affairs until after the jury has concluded its labor," said one of the attorneys for the railroad company.

"It isn't surprising that a lawyer engaged on it should become irritated occasionally."

Millions of dollars are involved in the proceeding.

SAYS CLIMATE OF CHICAGO SOON RUINS FRAME HOUSES.

Building Expert Mace Gives Startling Testimony in Suit to Condemn Property for Small Park.

"Chicago has the worst climate in the world for disintegrating buildings. Not only that, but Chicago people cannot be satisfied with the same style of a building more than twenty-three years."

These two assertions were made yesterday in condemnation proceedings brought by the south park commissioners to acquire forty-one lots for an addition to the small park at Forty-sixth street and Princeton avenue.

"The life of a frame building is only twenty-five years," said Building Expert Alfred C. Mace, one of the witnesses. He was referring to a frame dwelling that the park commissioners had valued at $936. This was 35 per cent less than it cost twenty years ago. Mr. Mace thought it was a good offer.

Attorney Francis O'Shaugnessy, representing the property owner, a widow, replied that a frame house that George Washington lived in has stood for 200 years and is in good preservation now.

"But it wouldn't stand the Chicago climate, which is the worst in the world for all sorts of buildings," Mr. Mace said. "Buildings only last a few years in Chicago on account of their architectural conditions. Nobody here is satisfied long with the same style of a house or a business block. The average life of a downtown building on that account is just twenty-three years."

The park commissioners are trying to get the forty-one lots for something like $60,000. The property owners claim that it is worth double that amount.

FIVE PERSONS WITHIN HOUR INJURED BY FALLS ON ICE.

Three Men and Two Women Meet with Serious Mishaps Because of Slippery Condition of Streets.

Five persons were injured within an hour last night by falling on ice. Four of them were in the Woodlawn police district. They are:

CELITTERBART, W. D., 23 years old, 6844 Emerald avenue, slipped on a piece of coal covered with ice while on a Michigan Southern railroad engine and fell to tracks; skull and right leg fractured.

HIGGINS, MRS. CHARLES, 3639 Princeton avenue, fell on sidewalk in front of her residence; head and shoulder bruised.

JOHNSON, HILDA, 2310 Richmond street, fell in front of 6624 St. Lawrence avenue; right leg broken.

VENDERPLOEG, JESSE, 20 years old, 6736 Ada street, fell on Sixty-third street car tracks at Wabash avenue; struck by the car; two ribs broken and ankle sprained.

WELSH, LOUIS, 16 years old, 6615 Monroe avenue, fell on sidewalk near his home; right leg broken.

MINISTERS UNITE TO RESCUE GIRLS.

300 Pastors Become Vigilantes Monday to Emancipate Chicago's White Slaves.

SEVER CHAINS FOREVER.

New Chicago Union Will Appeal to Assembly to Amend Present "Useless Laws."

The preachers of Chicago intend to wipe out the "white slave traffic" in this city.

Next Monday at 10 a. m. 300 ministers, representing all the Protestant denominations, will assemble in the Central Y. M. C. A. and organize a Chicago branch of the National Vigilance Committee for the Suppression of the White Slave Traffic. Dr. O. Edward Janney of Baltimore, Md., organizer of the national body, will address the meeting and lay down plans for campaigning.

The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Union Ministers' association, which comprises the following ministerial organizations, as well as delegates from other Protestant denominations:

Baptist Ministers' conference.
Christian Ministers' association.
Congregational Ministers' union.
Methodist Preachers' meeting.
Presbyterian Ministers' meeting.

Other speakers at the union meeting will be Assistant State's Attorney Clifford C. Roe, who has prosecuted more than a hundred "white slave" cases in the Harrison street branch of the Municipal court during the last year. The Rev. Ernest A. Bell, superintendent of the Midnight mission; Bishop W. F. McDowell, who will preside, and the Rev. A. C. Dixon, pastor of the Moody church.

Start Fight in Assembly.

The association expects to strike the first blow in the state legislature. The passage of a new law covering the trafficking in girls has been recommended by Speaker Shurtleff of the state legislature in letters to several preachers. This law, if passed, will annul numerous technicalities, behind which the resort keepers take refuge.

The movement is the direct result of the white slavery exposures by Assistant State's Attorney Roe, since he began prosecuting state cases at the Harrison street police station a year ago. Upon invitation he has spoken before several of the ministerial associations on this topic, and stirred the preachers, as well as a number of influential laymen, to action. The final decision to organize a branch of the National Vigilance committee here was taken by a secret delegate conference held by the pastors last Monday, in the Victoria hotel, at which Attorney Roe was present.

"The new organization will proceed under plans similar to those of the Committee of Twelve that exterminated the white slave traffic in New York City several years ago under the leadership of the present prosecuting attorney of New York, William T. Jerome," said Attorney Roe. "There is an excellent opportunity for such an organization to accomplish much good in Chicago. The laws covering these cases are about as good as no laws at all.

"The most conspicuous flaws in the present law, which is '57, B and E, Chap. 38,' Hurd's revised statutes, are that it requires proof of 'false pretenses;' that the girl in question previous to being enticed into the house 'was of chaste life and conversation,' that she was 'unmarried,' and, regarding those brought from out of the state, that they be 'under eighteen years of age.'

Many Loopholes in Laws.

"The defendants usually can hide behind some one of these technicalities. The proposed new law will annul these and provide further that the procurers of women also can be convicted. It also will cover the debt system that is used by many resort keepers for holding girls in open slavery."

A proposed law, known as the Abraham bill, directed against the white slavekeepers, was defeated in the last legislature. It was championed by Deaconess Lucy Hall.

SHOT DOWN AFTER QUARREL OVER ALLEGED WHITE SLAVE.

Fellippe Catalipo Is Arrested After Wounding of Calvi Fortunato, Who Purchased Woman Taken from Italy.

Calvi Fortunato, owner of a barber shop at 365 Clark street, was shot and seriously wounded yesterday while in the saloon of Baptiste Fizzi, 407 Clark street. The police shortly afterward arrested Fellippe Catalino, proprietor of a saloon at 167 Polk street. The two men quarreled over two women, it is said, and the shooting followed.

Fortunato had been found in the rear of Fizzi's saloon by the bartender, J. Beifino, after the latter had heard five shots fired and the rear door slam.

The victim, who was wounded in the right side and left thigh, was taken to the Chicago Emergency hospital. Fortunato later made a statement, it is said, in which he accused Catalino of the shooting.

Asunto Catalino, who said she had been living with Catalino as his wife, told the police that the man had deserted his family in Italy seven months ago, bringing her and another young Italian woman to Chicago. She said Catalino recently had sold the other woman to Fortunato, in consideration of the latter's promise to pay $85.

The woman said Fortunato failed to pay the money and the police believe this caused the quarrel which led to the shooting.

IS PENNILESS, SO LEAVES BODY.

Mary Wendt Confesses She Abandoned Infant So the City Would Bury It.

Mary Wendt, 251 Ward street, last night admitted to the Sheffield avenue police that she placed the dead body of her one day old infant on the steps of the home of William Seilman, 426 Southport avenue, last Monday morning.

Miss Wendt said the baby was dead when she placed it on the steps, that death occurred an hour after it was born. She said she had disposed of it because she did not want her parents to know of its birth.

"I was also without money to give the baby a burial and I thought this was the easiest way to get the city authorities to bury the baby," said Miss Wendt.

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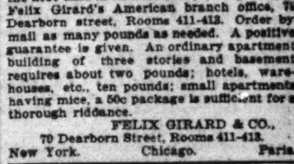

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DEATHS.

(For other death notices see page 13.)

DWYER—John J. Dwyer, Feb. 6, beloved brother of Sarah M. Hopkins and Mrs. William J. Murphy of Minneapolis, at his residence, 3150 Michigan-av. Notice of funeral hereafter.

P...EY—Henry Hubbard Pinney, at Glenco, Feb. 5, 1908, aged 84 years and 3 months. Funeral Friday. Private.

"SONGS YOU KNOW" BY OPERA STARS.

Charity's Friends Rally to the Support of Sunday Night's Popular Concert.

SEATS ARE SELLING FAST.

But Entire House Is Taken for Tonight's Benefit by the San Carlo Company.

Seats are now on sale at room 326 Tribune building and at the Auditorium box office for the all-star performance of "Don Giovanni" to be given by the San Carlo Opera company at the Auditorium tomorrow evening, for the matinee performance tomorrow of "Lohengrin" and for the popular concert to be given in English Sunday night by all the stars of the San Carlo company.

Scale of prices for Saturday, matinee and evening:

Main floor, front	$2.50
Main floor, rear	2.00
Balcony, front division	2.00
Balcony, middle division	1.50
Balcony, rear division	1.00
First gallery	.75
Second gallery	.50

Seats for the Sunday evening concert are being sold at popular prices, the best seats in the house costing only $1.

Temporary "benefit box office" at room 326 Tribune building, open daily from 9:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

The announcement that the best seats in the Auditorium are being sold for $1 for the popular concert to be given Sunday night by stars of the San Carlo grand opera company in aid of The Tribune emergency lodging house attracted hundreds of friends of charity and music to the Auditorium box office and THE TRIBUNE office yesterday. It is expected the rush for tickets today will surpass all previous records.

At the popular concert Sunday night old time songs will be sung in English by Miss Nellsen and the other great singers of the company, including M. Constantino, M. Blanchart, M. Fornari, M. Rossi, M. de Segurola, M. Oppezzo, Mme. Jane Noria, Mme. Claessens, Mme. Desana, and Mme. Bramonia will be heard in popular songs. The Sunday night concert offers an opportunity rarely presented to lovers of music, and it gives to the patrons of charity a chance to contribute to a worthy cause.

With the best seats in the house selling for $1 other seats may be procured for 75 and 50 cents. It was the purpose of Mr. Henry Russell, director of the opera company, in arranging the popular concert to give music lovers an opportunity of hearing all the stars of the San Carlo company at prices which are prohibitive to none.

With the seats for the Sunday night concert selling like hot cakes and with the entire house sold out for tonight when the opera company will present the remarkable quadruple bill arranged by Mr. Russell in aid of the unemployed, the seats for tomorrow's matinee performance of "Lohengrin" and for the evening performance of "Don Giovanni" met with a ready market.

Star Cast in Lohengrin.

At the performance of "Lohengrin" tomorrow afternoon, M. Florencio Constantino will sing the title rôle and will be supported by Mme. Jane Noria as Elsa. Elsa is Mme. Noria's greatest rôle and, with Constantino and Noria in the leading rôles, Mme. Rosa Olitzka will appear in the cast as Ortrud, M. Ramon Blanchart as Telramund, while M. Rossi and M. Pulcini will take the rôles of the king and queen. As Elsa, Mme. Noria will appear in the wonderful $1,500 gown which she herself designed.

Not content with arranging for an all star cast in "Lohengrin," Mr. Russell offers to the music loving public Saturday night an opportunity which has not been presented to Chicago operagoers in a decade. He will present "Don Giovanni," an opera which has not been given in Chicago for ten years, and Mr. Victor Maurel will sing the title rôle, marking his farewell appearance in Chicago. The cast in "Don Giovanni" will be as follows:

Mme. Alice Nielsen	Zerlina
Mme. Tina Desana	Donna Anna
Mme. Maria Claessens	Donna Elvira
M. Victor Maurel	Don Giovanni
M. Carlo Dani	Don Ottavio
M. P. de Segurola	Lejorello
M. L. Tavecchia	Masetto
M. A. Pulcini	Il Commendatore

Boxholders for Tonight.

The boxholders for tonight's performance of the quadruple bill arranged especially by Mr. Russell for the benefit of The Tribune lodging house are:

H. H. Porter,	Charles H Wacker,
Mrs. Bryan Lathrop,	Harold F. McCormick,
Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick,	Levy Mayer,
Mrs. Marshall Field,	Bernard A. Eckhart,
Ira Nelson Morris,	Joseph Sears,
Edwin F. Meyer,	Rudolph Brand,
Joseph Theurer,	Charles J. Vopicka,
Edwin A. Potter,	Samuel Insull,
Julius Rosenwald,	Mrs. J. J. Borland,
E. G. Foreman,	Mrs. O. W. Potter,
Adam Ortseifen,	Oscar G. Foreman,
	Mrs Medill McCormick.

MORE WORK FOR HOMELESS MEN

Hundreds of Snow Shovelers Taken Out of the City by the Railroads Running Into the North.

Work on the railroads, shoveling snow, and in the ice fields has taken away nearly 300 of the men who ordinarily have applied each night at The Tribune Emergency Lodging house at 59 Canal street. Three hundred and forty slept there last night, and there was a call for 250 men for shipment out of town this morning by the Northwestern railroad.

"They are coming and going continually," said Supt. Cleland last night. "They work a couple of days and that gives enough money to live at the regular lodging houses, and we don't want them here unless they are destitute. We aim to give temporary assistance only to those who are down and out."

The civil service commission of the city yesterday had its attention called to the unusually large number of unemployed men in this city. Hundreds of men are applying for the advertised examinations of civil service places and the clerks and examiners have their desks piled high with work.

HEAR ORGAN MUSIC BY WIRE.

Novel Entertainment Planned for Banquet of Valparaiso University Alumni.

In place of a local orchestra, members who attend the fifteenth annual banquet and reception of the Chicago Alumni association of the Valparaiso university at the Auditorium hotel tomorrow evening may be entertained by music transmitted from the school chapel organ in Indiana. By means of the transmitaphone, a new invention, this will be made possible if arrangements can be made with the telephone company. President H. B. Brown, O. P. Kinsey, and the entire faculty will attend the dinner.

Banquet Follows Initiation.

One hundred and fifty students, instructors, and graduates of the Art institute, members of the Men's Life Class association of the school, gathered at the Wellington hotel last night for their annual banquet. The guest of honor and principal speaker was Frederick W. Fryer. The banquet was preceded by the initiation of thirty new members.

Two of the Opera Stars Who Will Appear Tonight in The Tribune Benefit for the Unemployed of the City.

Miss Alice Nielsen as Rosina in The Barber of Seville. M. Constantino as Edgardo in Lucia.

ROBBERS SHOOT FOUR MEN

Militia Called Upon to Catch Bandits Near Woburn, Mass.

FIRE ON ALL THEY MEET.

State Soldiers Ordered to Kill If Fugitives Resist Them.

Woburn, Mass., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Four persons shot, one fatally, two holdups, and a call on the militia for aid was the result of three highwaymen's raids near Woburn tonight.

Sixteen militiamen, with orders to shoot to kill, are now guarding the Lexington town line to prevent the escape of the bandits.

The robbers first appeared in Burlington, where they held up two men in a buggy. The Woburn police were notified and Officers Welch and O'Neil were sent out. They found the robbers and a revolver battle followed.

Gun Battle with Officers.

Welch was shot in the stomach and left side and O'Neil was shot in the leg. Both officers fell and the robbers fled.

Bert Donoghue, a barber, hearing the fight, attempted to stop the bandits when one of them fired at him three times, but failed to wound him. Then the robbers fired several shots at Williard Van Tassel, a 12 years old boy, who was following them. One of the bullets struck the boy in the leg.

Wagon Driver Is Wounded.

The next appearance of the robbers was made near the Lexington town line. A patrol wagon driven by Edward J. Holland was sent out. The officers saw a stranger and when they attempted to question him the man drew a revolver and fired five shots. One bullet struck Holland in the back, inflicting a severe wound. The stranger escaped in the darkness.

At a late hour tonight the searchers, headed by Mayor Blodgett, were still hunting for the outlaws.

SLAIN BARTENDER A COUNT, BALTIMORE POLICE HEAR.

Letter from His Sister, an Italian Countess, Gives Clew to Identity of Nobleman Recently Shot.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—A message from the Italian minister of foreign affairs dated Rome was received today by Consul Schiaffino stating that Ernest Douglas, a mysterious foreigner who was found murdered on Jan. 16 in his room, was in reality the Count Henrico Douglas Scotti, a member of an Italian noble family.

The minister has requested Consul Schiaffino to forward him all possible information regarding the murdered man, as his relatives in Italy have requested the foreign office to represent them in the affair.

At the time Douglas was found murdered he had been employed as a bartender.

It was supposed to be suicide, but Carrie Snyder confessed that she saw Douglas shot by John J. Caulfield, who was a son of Mrs. Michael Caulfield, who discovered the dead body of Douglas. Caulfield is now in jail awaiting trial.

Memorial Service for Rabbi Felsenthal

A memorial service for the late Dr. B. Felsenthal will be held at Congregation Rodfei Zedek Forty-eighth street, next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Addresses will be made by Leon Zolotkoff, Rabbi W. Gold, and Nathan D. Kaplan.

'L' TRAIN HITS SLEIGH PARTY

Vision of Death Stills Merriment of Youths in Austin.

CAR STRIKES AN AMBULANCE

Doctor and Two Policemen Hurt When Hurled to Street.

A vision of sudden death stilled the merriment of a sleighing party of twenty-two Oak Park high school students last night, when their conveyance was partly wrecked by an elevated train. Though all were thrown to the street, only one pleasure seeker, Storey Stevens, 601 North Cuyler avenue, Oak Park, was injured.

The accident occurred as the sleigh was crossing the Chicago and Oak Park Elevated railroad tracks near the Austin avenue station shortly after 8 o'clock in the evening.

The train, west bound, had stopped at the Austin avenue station and then started again, when the driver of the sleigh attempted to cross the tracks before the train could get up speed. While the rear of the sleigh was still on the rails, the motor car struck it, hurling the sleigh out of its path and spilling the occupants into the snow.

Snow Saves Many from Injury.

All with the exception of Stevens escaped injury by falling on banks of snow. Stevens was thrown on a stretch of ice and suffered his injuries from this fall. His back was bruised, but he returned to his home unaided. The horses attached to the sleigh took fright and ran away. Later they returned to the livery stable of A. A. Knapp, 441 North boulevard, where the sleigh had been rented by Stevens.

Although shaken up by their fall, none of the members of the sleighing party remained near the scene until the arrival of the police, but returned to their homes, and their names could not be learned.

According to P. W. Oakley, 291 Ashland boulevard, a passenger on the train, the accident was due chiefly to the driver of the sleigh.

Oakley was in one of the front seats of the motor car and witnessed the accident. He saw the driver of the sleigh whip the horses in an effort to get clear of the tracks, then hesitated as he saw the train bearing down on him.

Motorman Checks Train's Speed.

G. D. Smith, motorman of the car, saw the sleigh at the same time Oakley did and made an effort to stop before striking it. He succeeded in checking the speed of the train and when it struck the sleigh it was moving slowly. Both Oakley and Smith said that if the speed of the train had not been checked in time most of the party in the sleigh would have been killed or injured. The sleigh, according to Knapp, had been rented to the party by his sister, and he did not know the names of any of the pleasure seekers other than Stevens.

Car Hits Ambulance.

A north bound Milwaukee avenue car at midnight collided with the ambulance from the Sheffield avenue police station at Milwaukee and Ashland avenues, and severe injuries were suffered by two policemen and a surgeon in the vehicle. Dr. U. Z. Dailey, Policeman Nicholas Perli, and Driver James Walsh, the injured men, all suffered severe bruises and were removed to the Alexian Brothers' hospital.

The collision, according to the street car crew, was unavoidable, as the car slipped along the icy tracks after the motorman had applied the brakes. The injured policemen corroborated the statements of the motorman and conductor.

GLADYS' MAMMA TO WED COUNT.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt to Become Bride of Hadik at Home of Her Daughter.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Through close personal friends of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, mother of Countess Szechenyi, it was learned today that Mrs. Vanderbilt will in the near future become Countess Hadik. The wedding of the widow takes place at the home of her daughter in Hungary and, like her daughter, she will make her home abroad.

It has been rumored from time to time that Mrs. Vanderbilt would live abroad to be near her daughter. It also has been rumored that she, too, would wed a title. The identity of the nobleman who will become the bridegroom of a widow with a fortune of several millions and an income of a quarter million dollars for the remainder of her life was not divulged until today.

Count Hadik attended the wedding of Count Szechenyi. In Paris and Berlin he was much in the company of Mrs. Vanderbilt and her daughter when Count Szechenyi was with them.

BINGHAM PLAN TO END BLACK HAND.

Only $25,000 and Six Sleuths Necessary, the Commissioner Says.

ITALIANS TO FIGHT BAND

New York Organization Similar to Chicago's "White Hand" Is Formed.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—"Just give me $25,000 and leave to hire a half dozen real detectives, and I'll stamp out this so-called Black Hand in a month."

With this remark Commissioner Bingham summed up an emphatic interview today. It had been brought to his attention that bomb explosions in tenements, store wreckings, and assaults by Italian blackmailers in their attempt to extort money from their well to do countrymen had grown so numerous lately as to indicate an inability on the part of Lieut. Petrosino and his Italian squad to cope with them. The commissioner was asked whether he believed the men could get the Black Hand under control in the near future.

"I'm glad you asked me that," he responded, "for it gives me an opportunity to direct attention to the greatest need any police commissioner the town has had for some time—of half a dozen or, say, ten real, first class detectives, such as New York never had.

Real Detectives Wanted.

"They are needed to fight not only blackmailers among Italians but also those among Armenians and several other foreign colonies in New York."

The commissioner said the reason his men could not do it was because they are known. He continued:

"I want a force of real detectives who would report on their work only to me and who would be all the time working among these foreign criminals themselves and through their agents. What little crime of this Black Hand—Hunchakist sort we could not prevent we could make arrests and convictions upon in mighty short order."

Organize Against Band.

Five hundred Italians attended a mass-meeting tonight in the office of the Italian newspaper Bolletino della Sera, 16 Park row, which was presided over by Frank L. Frugone, editor of the paper, to protest against blackmailing, bomb throwing, kidnaping, and other crimes by Italians who call themselves members of the "Black Hand." The room was packed as close as a subway car.

Frank Frugone was elected president of the new organization, which is called the Italian Vigilance Protective association. This action followed that of Chicago Italians, who recently organized as the "White Hand," to fight the "Black Hand."

Over 300 men enrolled as members of committees to be formed in every part of New York City. A memorial will be prepared to the Italian government petitioning all prefects and priests in Italy, and the royal commissioners on emigrant steamers will be instructed, to request the people not to carry arms when they come to America.

THAW COMMISSION NOT NEEDED

Official Says if He Thinks Youth Sane After Thirty Days Hospital People May Recommend Release.

Matteawan, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Dr. Lamb, superintendent of the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane, said today that if after thirty days or so it is his belief that Harry K. Thaw is sane, it will be within the province of the hospital authorities to so certify to the court and recommend his release. A commission in lunacy or other proceedings would not be necessary, he declared.

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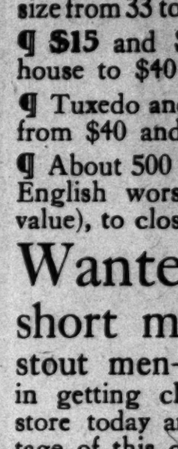

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French china in fancy festoon shape with dainty border pattern in burnished gold with mat gold handles.

Dinner plates, each, 48c.	Tea cups and saucers, each, 56c.
Breakfast plates, each, 45c.	Open vegetable dishes, $1.50.
Coupe soup plates, each, 35c.	Small platters, each $1.00.
Fruit saucers, each, 28c.	Medium platters, each, $1.67.
	Large platters, each, $2.33.

Splendid Values in Fancy Shapes

French china with heavy gold stippled edge with a handsome border decoration of garlands of roses.

Dinner plates, each, 40c.	Covered dishes, each, $1.25.
Breakfast plates, each, 40c.	Small platters, each, 50c.
Sugar and creamers—set, $1.40.	Medium platters, each, 75c.
Bread and butter plates, 35c.	Large platters, each, $1.00.

Open vegetable dishes, each, $1.00. Oatmeals reduced to, each, 20c. Sauce boats, reduced to, each, $1.00. Pickle dishes reduced to, each, 50c.

The English Semi-Porcelain

The various pieces are decidedly artistic—the design consists of a blue band on edge and dainty Dresden border design of small roses.

Dinner plates, each, 20c. | Soup plates, each, 15c. | Medium platters, each, $1.00.
Breakfast plates, each, 20c. | Oatmeals, each, 15c.
Cups and saucers, each, 25c.
Cover'd dishes, each, $1.25.
Bread and butters, 15c.
Small platters, each, 75c.
Large platters, each, $1.25.

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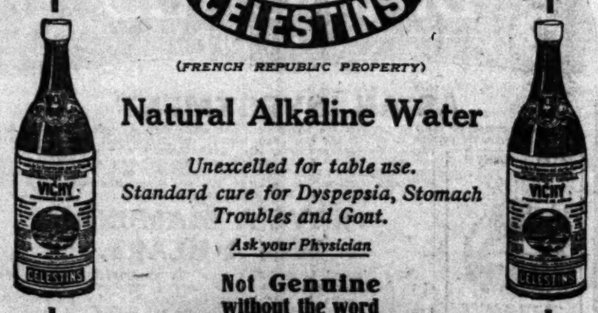

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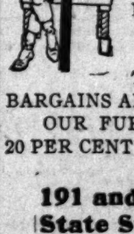

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TWO EX-MINISTERS GONE.

Thirteen Men Arrested at Time of Tragedy Released After Examination.

LISBON, Feb. 6.—The sudden flight of Senhor Franco, the former premier, from Lisbon across the frontier into Spain, on his way to Paris, was caused by threats of death made against him. Since the murder of the king Franco has been in receipt of many letters threatening vengeance.

Franco, as dictator, had been plotted against and had gone about protected by armed guards, who also watched his house lest those who opposed his iron rule should do him harm. Later was added the enmity of those who held Franco responsible, indirectly at least, for the tragedy.

Two of Franco's ministers have disappeared. Senhor Carvalho hid in the garrets of the ministry of finance until he saw an opportunity to flee the city, while Dr. Abreu, former minister of justice, it is believed, left several days ago.

The release of several deputies and leading republicans from prison today did not occasion trouble, and others will be released tomorrow. Thirteen persons, arrested at the time of the assassination, have been released after rigid examination.

Franco's Face Shows Fear.

MADRID, Feb. 6.—Senhor Franco arrived here today. He was accompanied by his wife and son and an intimate friend, Senator Novas. So far as is known he received no one at the hotel where he stopped save the Portuguese minister to Spain and the civil governor of Madrid.

Few saw Franco when he arrived, and scarcely any one recognized him. The moment the train stopped he hurriedly stepped down. His overcoat collar was turned up and his hat drawn down over his head.

Word had reached the railroad authorities from the frontier station of Alcantara that Franco was on board the express to Madrid, and they immediately arranged an effective though unobtrusive police detail at the station.

Franco's face was drawn and careworn, his air of one depressed and wearied. He peered up and down the platform distrustfully, almost fearfully.

Due in Paris Tonight.

The police drew up on either side and the party entered carriages and drove rapidly to the Hotel de la Paix, where the former premier secluded himself. Detectives immediately surrounded the hotel. An official who watched Senhor Franco described his appearance thus: "He looks ill, dreadfully ill; his face is lined and pallid and shows great suffering. He seems in great fear."

Madrid newspapers, which appeared on the streets after Franco's arrival, stated that Franco's journey here was "really a flight protected by the police."

Franco and party this evening embarked on the south express at 8:05 o'clock. It is understood their destination is Paris, where the train is due at 9:44 Friday night.

TRAGEDY COSTLY TO EQUITABLE.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Don Carlos, Portugal's murdered king, was insured in the Equitable Life Assurance society for $100,000. He took out a policy in 1894 and had paid $32,000 in premiums. The policy is payable to his estate and will be paid on proof of death. The Equitable has decided to issue no more policies to potentates.

STEAMSHIP RATE WAR ENDS; STEERAGE PRICE TO SOAR.

Conference in London Arrives at Understanding After Trouble for Nearly a Year.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The conference of representatives of the Atlantic steamship lines engaged in passenger traffic has arrived at an understanding. In shipping circles it is believed the agreement includes an arrangement to stop cutting rates, another to maintain rates of all classes, and possibly pooling of steerage business, as is done by the German lines.

Steerage business has been the chief cause of trouble between the companies represented at the conference. There also was trouble regarding differentials on saloon rates, but it is understood this was settled at an early meeting.

The rate war has been going on nearly a year. Trouble became acute when the Cunard line maintained what were called unjustly low steerage rates on the Lusitania and the Mauretania, it being argued that these fast vessels should charge more than slower ships. When this was not done the International Mercantile Marine company announced a cut, which was met by the Cunard company. Then rate slashing began, and the price of a steerage ticket fell to $18.75. Lines running to Canadian ports met the outs made by the Cunard and White Star line. An understanding will result in a rate approaching the old standard of $31.

RAISULI RELEASES MACLEAN.

Bandit Sends Sultan of Morocco's Adviser to Tangier for English Gold.

TANGIER, Feb. 6.—Caid Sir Harry MacLean, commander of the sultan's bodyguard and next to the sultan the most influential man in Morocco, has arrived here under an escort from the bandit Raisuli, who has held him under bondage for the last seven months. He was brought here in accordance with the agreement which the British government finally succeeded in making with Raisuli for his release, in return for which Great Britain will pay $100,000 to Raisuli and guarantee protection and immunity from arrest.

LONDON TRIBUNE QUITS FIGHT.

Liberal Paper Announces That Today's Issue Will Be Last—Money Too Scarce.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Tribune, a liberal newspaper which was founded two years ago, announces that its issue tomorrow will be the last owing to lack of sufficient capital to carry it on. It has been one of the largest, best printed and best conducted London dailies, but it never seemed to have gained popularity.

NOTES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

LONDON—A little band of unemployed men who have marched all the way from Manchester started on the last lap of their journey. Their destination is Windsor, where they propose to take possession of a portion of the great royal park. It is their purpose to build cottages and farm the lands which surround the castle of the king.

BERLIN—The exports of the United States invoiced by Alexander M. Thackara, the American consul general, since the beginning of the financial disturbances in America, are from 20 to 40 per cent less each month when compared with the corresponding month of the preceding year.

BERLIN—Freiherr von Stengel, secretary of the imperial treasury, has resigned. His retirement is connected with the financial embarrassments of the empire and the difficulty in finding a solution.

COPENHAGEN—Owing to recent heavy withdrawals the Copenhagen Freeholders' bank has temporarily suspended payment. The bank's capital is about $5,000,000.

Judge's Wife to Decide a Lawsuit.

MRS W. W. MAXWELL

Mrs. Elisabeth Maxwell, who is to decide for her husband a case involving the puzzling question: "When is a silk not a silk?" declared yesterday that it will not be the first case which she has helped him with, and furthermore that she is not the only feminine associate judge in the city.

"The lawyer did not have to tell my husband to ask my advice when he had such a question as that to decide," said Mrs. Maxwell. "He is always glad to make use of my knowledge on peculiarly feminine subjects and I believe the same relations exist between every other married judge and his wife—or if they don't they ought to."

As to the case which gave rise to the discussion she said that as associate judge she could say nothing while the case is under advisement. She will be asked to decide whether crêpe de chine is silk or not. In a strictly unofficial capacity, unconnected with the case, she has no doubt that crêpe de chine is silk and is so regarded by women the world over. In this several experts in women's wear agreed with Mrs. Maxwell.

FLEET BIDS ADIEU TO ARENAS

Brilliant Spectacle Precedes Resumption of Voyage.

FESTIVITIES ON FLAGSHIPS.

Five Capsized Seamen Rescued by Governor of Territory.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PUNTA ARENAS, Feb. 6.—This afternoon's reception, given on board the Connecticut, flagship of Rear Admiral Evans, with one exception was the last function to be held in this port. The ship was decorated with signal flags and standards of all nations, the American, Chilean, and British predominating.

In addition, there were decorations not frequently employed in maritime entertainments, even in far more genial climes than this, where it is no strange sight to see snow even in the summer time. Branches of trees brought from the mountains were employed for decorative purposes.

Invitations were given to everybody of any promipence whatever in the city or neighborhood, and it is scarcely necessary to say there were few who did not gladly avail themselves of the opportunity to visit the flagship, aboard which every possible courtesy was extended to the guests. There was nothing formal about the affair and every one expressed himself as delighted. Combined bands from the various flagships of the fleet furnished the music.

Brilliant Spectacle at Night.

Punta Arenas tonight was furnished a spectacle the like of which it never saw before. All the ships were brilliantly illuminated with electric lights, strings of which extended from the masts along the bulwarks and everywhere else where they would show to advantage. The searchlights were kept going until a late hour.

Rear Admiral Thomas, commanding the second squadron, third division, gave a dinner tonight aboard the Minnesota, his flagship, to other admirals and captains of all the warships here, including the Chilean cruiser Chacabuco and the British cruiser Sappho.

The tender Yankton left the fleet early this morning and continued its voyage toward the Pacific. The fleet will sail tomorrow.

Governor Rescues Seamen.

One of the boats of the battleship Rhode Island, in which Midshipman Herndon B. Kelly and four seamen were rowing, was capsized off the spit near Punta Arenas yesterday afternoon by a sudden heavy gust of wind.

The men clung to the bottom of their upturned boat and signaled for help.

Their plight was observed from shore and Capt. Martin, maritime governor of the territory, went to their assistance in a launch and rescued them.

Mexican Concession in Force.

Mexico City, Feb. 6.—The concession by Mexico to the United States granting the privilege to establish a coaling station at Magdalen bay is in force, and it is expected that the two barges provided for under the concession will be anchored in the bay before the arrival there of the fleet.

PRINCE'S VISIT AGITATES ROME.

Monaco Will Not Ask Audience of Pope, Which May Bring Forth a Protest.

ROME, Feb. 6.—The forthcoming visit of the prince of Monaco to Rome and the arrangements for his entertainment by King Victor Emmanuel are causing wide discussion here. The persuasion and threats of the vatican having failed to prevail against the prince's plans, it is now officially announced that he will arrive in Rome Feb. 20 and will the same day visit the king and queen and the queen dowager. The evening of Feb. 22 the prince will attend the state banquet at the quirinal, and, it is announced, will take his departure the following day without asking an audience of the pope. In this event it is likely the vatican will issue a note of protest to all the powers, as was done on the occasion of President Loubet's visit to Rome.

MRS. WEIGHTMAN TO WED.

She Announces Her Engagement to Diplomat and Writer.

HAS $40,000,000 FORTUNE.

Bridegroom-to-Be Also Is Wealthy in His Own Right.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Mrs. Anna M. Weightman Walker, widow of Robert J. C. Walker of Philadelphia, and daughter of the late William Weightman, made the formal announcement tonight of her engagement to Frederic Courtland Penfield, the diplomat and author.

The engagement is of recent date, although Mrs. Walker and her fiancé have been friends for years. It was not intended to announce the betrothal until a month later, but as rumors of it had spread it was decided to make it public at once.

The rumors first gained circulation soon after Mrs. Walker gave one of the most expensive musicales of the season on Jan. 28.

One of the guests at the musical was Mr. Penfield, and it was noticed that he paid much attention to Mrs. Walker throughout the evening. This musical, at which Mmes. Sembrich and Gadski and Sig. Bonci of the Metropolitan opera house company sang, was attended by many well known society persons.

Woman Worth $40,000,000.

Mrs. Weightman-Walker inherited a fortune of $40,000,000 under the will of her father, the late William Weightman of Germantown, Pa., who gained his wealth in manufacturing drugs.

Frederick Courtland Penfield also is wealthy, not only in his own right, but as the chief heir of his late wife, Katherine Wells Penfield, widow of Col. McMurdo, the builder of the Delagoa Bay railroad, in Portuguese East Africa. While a typical diplomat, he is a self-made man.

While Penfield was a reporter on the Hartford Courant, Mr. Waller, the owner of the paper, was made consul general to London under President Cleveland. Penfield went along as vice consul.

Met First Wife in London.

He met Mrs. McMurdo there, and on the death of Col. McMurdo rendered the widow valuable assistance in bringing order out of confusion in the dead railroad builder's affairs.

Through his efforts Mrs. McMurdo was awarded between $100,000 and $500,000 by the Swiss arbitration committee after this railroad was seized by the Portuguese government on a technicality. She had not been Penfield's wife long when she died and left her fortune to be divided equally between her husband and her only daughter, the wife of Prof. Silver of Hobart college.

SUFFRAGETTES, LEAVING JAIL, GREETED BY CROWD AND BAND.

One "Martyr" Says Most Severe Punishment Was the Prison Rule Enforcing Silence.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Several hundred suffragettes, headed by a band, today assembled in front of the Holloway jail to celebrate the liberation of four of their comrades, who had suffered three weeks' "martyrdom."

As the quartet left the gates the band, which had been playing "Only to See Her Face," struck up "See, the Conquering Hero Comes," while the unmartyred multitude raised a shrill cheer.

After the inevitable photograph had been taken the company marched to a vegetarian restaurant near the Strand, where they breakfasted joyously. Many speeches were made telling the liberated women how the two great government defeats in Mid-Devon and Hereford were victories for the women's union.

The quartet of ex-prisoners expressed their readiness to go to prison again for the benefit of the cause. One of them suggested it would be a glorious idea for the suffragettes to get arrested in such numbers that the Holloway jail could not hold them. Another confessed that the most severe punishment of her three weeks' imprisonment was that she was obliged to keep silence.

COWBOY BARONET HOMEWARD BOUND

Sir Genille Cave, Fortune's Soldier, Goes to England for Estate.

DRESSES FOR HER DEATH

Woman After Buying Coffin Dons Her Shroud and Ends Life in a Hotel.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Feb. 6.

Sir Genille Cave-Browne-Cave, who was rediscovered several months ago working in Colorado as a plain miner after having dropped out of the world of titled folk many years before, turned up again today aboard the White Star liner Celtic. He is bound for his native land to take charge of his estates, which his father, Sir Mylles Cave-Browne-Cave, who died about a year ago at the age of 84, left heavily mortgaged. Still it is said there is enough left—probably about $80,000—to support Sir Genille for a while if he does not duplicate the extravagances of his early manhood.

Cowboy Baronet Returns Home to Get Estate.

He was willing to talk to reporters, but would not say much about his intentions, except that he would return to America after claiming his estates and proving his right to the title.

Sir Genille quarreled with his father eighteen years ago and went wandering. He fought in the Boer war, has been a cowboy, hunter for tiger pelts, ranchman, miner, and day laborer. He never told even his mother where he was after his father died, and Sir James Bryce was asked to look him up. He is the twelfth baronet. The title was created in 1641.

Mrs. Cleo A. Walton, 40 years old, living at the Hotel La Grange in West Fifty-seventh street, committed suicide in her room this afternoon by taking two ounces of potash, after posting letters to Dr. George F. Shields, her physician, and Frank E. Campbell & Co., undertakers, of whom she had bought a coffin, telling what she had done. The letters were received about 5 o'clock and Dr. Shields and Campbell & Co. called police headquarters over the phone within a few minutes of each other. No time was lost in breaking into Mrs. Walton's room and she was found on a couch apparently dressed for burial. On a table was a picture of herself, which looked as if it had been taken recently. It showed the woman in the costume she wore today. A letter to Coroner Harburger read as follows:

Dresses for Her Death, Then Takes Poison.

"This is a case of suicide, pure and simple. No act of my life has been consummated with more free thought."

Her home formerly was in Fayetteville, Tenn. She was married in Denver and was engaged in business in San Francisco till the earthquake.

The application for either a peremptory or alternative writ of mandamus to compel Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company and its officers to permit Moses H. Joseph and other minority stockholders to examine the books, papers, and other records of the corporation, was today denied by Justice Greenbaum in the Supreme court. The application was based upon allegations of waste and diversion of the corporate funds by Ferdinand Sulzberger, the president of the company.

Writ Against Schwarzschild Company Denied.

Frederick Joseph, who was associated with Moses H. Joseph in the mandamus litigation, and who is a son-in-law of Schwarzschild, formerly was vice president and a director of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company. Justice Greenbaum in his decision says that the affidavits on both sides are replete with charges and countercharges, covering a period of many years of endeavor by each to acquire the interests of the other by methods which may be characterized as coercive or overreaching, and a state of affairs is disclosed "indicative of mutual suspicion, distrust, and lack of confidence. Each charges the other with efforts to sell his interests to rival meat concerns, or to form combinations with such concerns."

Justice Greenbaum took the ground that the matters now in dispute were known to the litigants long ago, and that the alleged irregularities at that time were not regarded as prejudicial to the interests of the company.

Controller Metz, who has had a general overhauling of the books of his department, has found there are hundreds of accounts of unpaid salaries and unpaid warrants. Some of these go as far back as a quarter of a century, and the total, Mr. Metz thinks, will reach $250,000.

$250,000 of Unclaimed Pay on Controller's Books.

Mr. Metz does not intend to advertise for the claimants. He believes where claims have been neglected for six years they are barred by the statute of limitations. He has asked the corporation counsel about it. If Mr. Pendleton agrees with him the controller will transfer the unclaimed sums to the general fund for reduction of taxation.

Fire Commissioner Francis J. Lantry sent his resignation to Mayor McClellan this afternoon and it was accepted. The mayor will not immediately announce the appointment of a successor to Lantry, but it is reported in political circles that Corrections Commissioner John Coggey will be shifted to the vacant place. The resignation of Lantry has been considered inevitable ever since he appeared before the fire department investigators and displayed by his testimony remarkable ignorance of vital subjects in his department.

Fire Commissioner's Resignation Is Accepted.

MINISTER DEFENDS "CUFFING" AS PRACTICED AT PONTIAC.

The Rev. A. M. White Says Asylum Investigation Is for Political Purposes in the Hope of "Downing Deneen."

A defense of "the solitary," which was brought into such prominence through the violent death of William Hamlin at the Pontiac reformatory some weeks ago, was made last evening by the Rev. A. M. White in an address at the Grace Methodist church, La Salle avenue and Locust street.

Mr. White, who formerly was chaplain at the penitentiary at Joliet, declared that no prisoner ever was placed in the solitary except in just punishment for breaking some of the rules of the institution. In a series of stereopticon illustrations of his address he produced a picture of a prisoner standing with his hands chained to the bars of his cell, just as the Hamlin boy stood on the night that he sustained the fatal injuries which now are under investigation.

"I have known of at least one case where a prisoner was kept in the solitary thus for thirty days," said Mr. White. "He was taken down for meals, which consisted of bread and a quart of water a day, and permitted to sleep upon a board in his cell. At other times he remained chained up with his eyes turned to a blank board door.

"However, such prisoners are visited twice a day by a physician, and at any time that it appears that their punishment is too severe the physician may order their removal from the solitary. They also are removed at any time that they express sorrow for their conduct or agree to do better in future."

"I do not believe that any of the horrors such as have been described as having taken place at Pontiac really occurred," said Mr. White. "I do not think that any prisoners there have been unjustly punished."

MORSE IS URGED TO RETURN

Message Sent to Ex-Banker at Request of District Attorney.

$3,000,000 IN THE HOLE.

Friend Says Losses Have More than Wiped Out Fortune.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—When Charles W. Morse, the deposed banker and ice magnate, arrives in Liverpool, probably on Saturday, he will find awaiting him a message from Albert B. Boardman, his counsel, asking him to return immediately. This message was sent by Mr. Boardman today at the suggestion of United States District Attorney Stimson, who is in charge of the investigation which the federal grand jury is conducting into the banking affairs.

Mr. Boardman himself was summoned today to appear before the grand jury in reference to the affairs of the National Bank of North America, of which Mr. Morse was vice president and controlling spirit before the process of elimination began. The grand jury didn't reach Mr. Boardman at today's session, but they will hear him tomorrow.

"Why did the district attorney request you to cable Mr. Morse to come back? Is he involved in the charges that the grand jury is investigating?" Mr. Boardman was asked.

"I don't know, but I suppose it was because a good many persons here want him," was Mr. Boardman's reply.

May Be $3,000,000 to Bad.

As a matter of fact the transactions which concerned Mr. Morse and the National Bank of North America have been under investigation by United States District Attorney Stimson's office for several weeks, and Mr. Morse has known this. He had not, however, been subpœnaed to appear before the grand jury and it is doubtful if his presence would have been requested if he had remained in the country. It is possible the grand jury will have acted before Mr. Morse arrives in Liverpool.

Mr. Morse's friends and advisers admitted today that he was down and out financially; that all of his fortune, which had been variously estimated from $10,000,000 to $20,000,000, had been wiped out. One man who was familiar with Morse's affairs estimated that if a balance would be struck today he would be $2,000,000 or $3,000,000 to the bad.

Nothing in Deposit Vault.

Receiver Hanna had search made today for any cash or securities which Morse might have in safe deposit vaults. His vaults in the new Amsterdam National and the National Bank of North America were empty. It was in the latter box that Morse, when he was having his interview with the members of the clearing house committee shortly before he had been put out of the Bank of North America, said he had $11,000,000 in negotiable securities.

One of the men familiar with Morse's business affairs gave this account of how his fortune had been wiped out in the last few months:

"Mr. Morse owned 60,000 shares of American Ice stock, which cost him on the average 69, or a total of $4,861,000. He owned 6,000 shares of the National Bank of North America, which cost him about $250 a share, or, altogether, $1,500,000. He had $15,000,000 face value of the Consolidated Steamship bonds, which cost him an average of 25: total, $3,750,000. That makes $10,111,000 that went into these three holdings alone.

"Besides this, Mr. Morse had small holdings in eight or nine banks, for which he had paid, or agreed to pay, probably $5,000,000.

"Now, as compared with their cost, here is the present value of some of these holdings:

	Present val.	Difference.
American Ice at 17	$1,020,000	$3,841,000
Bank of North America	600,000	900,000
Consolidated Steamship	1,350,000	2,400,000

This man estimated that the stock in the small banks, which cost Morse probably $5,000,000, wasn't worth now more than $750,000. According to those figures there would have been a shrinkage of something like $11,000,000 in a total of $15,000,000 in holdings.

If Morse owned outright all the stuff he ever had, it would leave him only $3,720,000 and against this he had outstanding at least $1,000,000 in commercial paper and was liable as indorser for fully as much more. As practically all this $3,720,000 is pledged as securities on loans, Morse is between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 worse than nothing.

Morse Seen in Boston?

Boston, Mass., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Benjamin Wyman Morse, son of Charles W. Morse and student in Harvard college, today positively denied the numerous reports concerning the New York financier. He said:

"There is absolutely no truth in the report my father has left New York for Europe. I heard from my father last night and I know he is in New York. I also wish to deny that my father has gone broke. There is absolutely no truth in the whole story."

According to the Boston police officials Charles W. Morse was seen in Boston at noon today by a man who has known him for years.

ROBBERS GET THREE VICTIMS AT ONE ELEVATED STATION.

Arthur Olson, Agent at Franklin Street, Held Up with Two Others at Western Avenue.

Three men were held up and robbed at the Western avenue station of the Logan Square branch of the Metropolitan Elevated railroad just after midnight.

Arthur Olson, agent for the elevated road at the Franklin street station, entered the Western avenue station at 12:10 o'clock this morning and presented his pass at the window. He discovered that the agent was not there. When he turned he looked into the muzzles of three revolvers.

"Put up your hands, quick," demanded one of the men. They took a gold watch, valued at $40, and $1.80 in currency.

"Now march," was their next order, and Olson was shoved into a small room in the building. Here he found the agent and a passenger, both of whom had been robbed by the trio. The highwaymen secured $25 from the agent and $15 from the passenger.

"I thought it was a joke," said Olson, "for I have seen one of the robbers often and I couldn't believe they wanted my watch."

The thieves were scared away by an incoming passenger train.

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$30 suits and overcoats, now $22.50
$35 suits and overcoats, now $26.25
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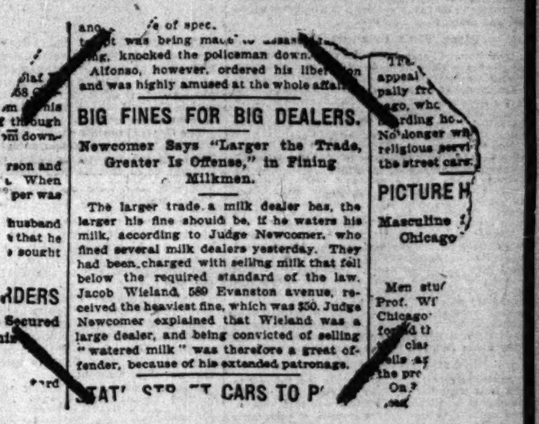

BIG FINES FOR BIG DEALERS.

Newcomer Says "Larger the Trade, Greater Is Offense," in Fining Milkmen.

The larger trade a milk dealer has, the larger his fine should be, if he waters his milk, according to Judge Newcomer, who fined several milk dealers yesterday. They had been charged with selling milk that fell below the required standard of the law. Jacob Wieland, 589 Evanston avenue, received the heaviest fine, which was $50. Judge Newcomer explained that Wieland was a large dealer, and being convicted of selling "watered milk" was therefore a great offender, because of his extended patronage.

The above article appeared in The Chicago Tribune Wednesday morning, February 5th, and we wish to make the following explanation to our customers and the public at large:

The case tried before Judge Newcomer on Feb. 4th was for milk below standard in butter fat, not for watered milk—this being caused by a dishonest driver in our employ who for several weeks had been adding to his income by taking the cream off the bottled milk and selling it to our customers for pure cream. It was one of these bottles of milk (after the cream had been taken off) that was obtained by an inspector from our dishonest driver without our knowledge, and of course when tested did not prove up to the standard—the driver was discharged immediately upon this discovery. We were fined $50 because, as Judge Newcomer stated, the employers are responsible for acts committed by their representatives.

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But those fluids were digestive juices. And a waste today means a lack tomorrow.

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No griping, no irritation. They act as a bowel tonic.

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JONES WILL LEAD WHITE SOX AGAIN

Manager Arrives in City and Sets at Rest Doubts as to 1908 Season.

LOOKS IN FINE FETTLE.

Fielder Says Team Looks Stronger This Year than Any Since He Has Been with It.

BY I. E. SANBORN.

If any vestige of doubt lingered in the mind of a south side fan concerning the return of Manager Jones to the job which he surrendered voluntarily last season it was removed yesterday by the verbal statement of the manager himself that he had reconsidered his determination to retire and would try to lead the White Sox to the American league and world's pennants once more.

The White Sox manager, accompanied by his wife and son, arrived in the morning and left last night for Portland, Ore., after spending a strenuous day visiting friends and being interviewed by every one interested in baseball who could locate his trail.

"I don't want to, but I guess I'll have to," was Jones' reply to the direct query whether or not he would retain the management of the White Sox. "I was sincere in my determination to quit the game last fall and fully expected to do so, but 'my wife won't let me,'" he explained with a laugh.

Business Outlook a Factor.

Behind this joking explanation of his change of mind undoubtedly exists the reasons announced some time ago. The sudden slump in the business world last fall rendered doubtful the plans for promoting a business proposition in the northwest which was the bait held out to the manager by his brother to tempt him to give up baseball. This view was strengthened by the manager's subsequent remarks:

"The question of salary never entered into the matter," he said. "There never has been any such question between Comiskey and me. I always have signed and returned the contracts he has sent me and shall continue to do so as long as we have any relations. I have not signed for 1908. I have not done so because I had not decided definitely to return, not because there was any dissatisfaction over the salary I would get if I did return."

Looks in Fine Fettle.

Jones in the past has been outspoken in his dislike for the task of managing a baseball club on account of the strain upon him. Yesterday he looked like an entirely different man than when he left the city last fall. He weighs 200 pounds easily, and apparently hasn't a care in the world, instead of looking thin, drawn, and worried.

He explained his arrival during Comiskey's absence by the sickness of his brother, who has just been operated on for appendicitis. He wrote Comiskey he would be here this week, but the Sox magnate already had his hunting trip mapped out and wired back asking Jones to delay his trip a week if possible. Jones said he would have waited until next week so as to see Comiskey and fix up for the season but for the fact his brother needed him to attend to the business until he fully recovers. He added that the "fixing up" could be done as well by mail and that he would remain on the coast until the arrival of the White Sox early in March, and then join whichever squad he was assigned to chaperon.

First Visit to Club Offices.

How closely Jones has stuck to the playing end of the team since he took charge of it was illustrated by the fact the manager, upon his arrival yesterday, had to inquire where President Comiskey's office was located. He had never been inside the downtown headquarters until yesterday, when he called and conferred with Secretary Fredericks for half an hour in executive session.

Jones brought the additional news that Dougherty would be with the Sox another year, although he had not signed his contract. Pat, like his manager, has been spending a quiet winter in Bolivar, N. Y., watching the oil quotations. Presumably, from the close relationship between them, Dougherty has delayed signing until he was certain Jones would retain the reins.

Fielder was as enthusiastic as he ever gets over the outlook for the Sox next season. He predicted that Parent would strengthen the team a great deal both in batting and on the defense. It was Jones' belief Isbell would not return this season, and in that case he thought the strongest arrangement of the infield would be to switch Davis to second base and place Parent at short, with Tannehill on third. "The team looks stronger to me now than at any time since I joined it," was the way Jones summed up the season's prospects.

Artie Hofman in City.

Another arrival of only slightly less interest to the fans was that of Artie Hofman, the world's champion utility player, who came from Akron, O., and spent a portion of the morning in conference with President Murphy over his 1908 contract. Hofman did not bring a fountain pen with him, but both magnate and player allowed there was no constraint about their meeting. Artie did not reveal the purpose of his stay in the Ohio town during the last month.

Catcher Otis turned in his contract at headquarters and announced he was ready to depart for West Baden when the call was issued.

Manager Ganzel of the Cincinnati Reds was another of President Murphy's callers. He was on his way from Grand Rapids to Cincinnati to talk over the season's plans with President Herrmann and expressed confidence in the ability of the Reds to make a better showing in the race than they did last season.

President Murphy started sending out his season's passes yesterday and mailed No. 1 to President, Roosevelt, thereby "scooping" President Johnson of the American league by a few weeks. Pass No. 2 for the west side grounds went to Secretary Taft. Not to be accused of partisanship, the Cub magnate sent Pass No. 3 to William J. Bryan.

Joe Corbett to Play with Coast Team.

San Jose, Cal., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Joe Corbett has signed with the Santa Cruz State league team.

LAMY STAR OF SKATING MEET.

Saranac Lake Boy Wins Quarter Mile and Two Mile Races at Pittsburg Rink.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Edmund Lamy of Saranac Lake, N. Y., proved a wonder in the international amateur indoor ice skating races at Duquesne garden tonight. He won both the quarter and two mile finals, and qualified in the preliminaries for the five mile race, the finals of which will be run tomorrow night.

Fred Robson of Toronto, entered under the colors of the Toronto Rowing club, announced he had withdrawn and was skating independently. He managed to fall twice in the two mile final, and was hissed by the crowd. A. Anderson of Chicago qualified in the two mile event, and finished second in the final. He also won the second heat in the five mile preliminaries. Summaries:

Quarter mile race—Won by Lamy, Roe second, Kearney third. Time, :40.

2 mile race—Won by Lamy, Anderson second, Roe third. Time, 6:11 4-5.

5 mile race—Three heats skated, Robson, Ahlroth, Anderson, Hefferman, Lamy, Roe, and Fisher qualifying.

Wood Skates Fast in Dashes.

Morris Wood gave an exhibition quarter mile dash in :41 at the Logan Square skating rink last night, and a few minutes later went the half mile in 1:25. He finished his part of the program by leaping over six barrels with much ease. Harry Kaad won the class A mile dash by more than forty feet from A. Horne and A. C. Nielsen, finishing easily in 3:29. In the boys' half mile race Arthur Flory won from Harling Clark and James Kasick in the final in 2:06. In the mile novelty race Harry Star was an easy winner from F. S. Tottfir, second, and Christ Olson, third. Time, 3:44.

DALY GETS LEAD OF ONE POINT.

Chicagoan Beats Harry P. Cline in First Block of the Three Cushion Championship Tourney.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 6.—John Daly of Chicago tonight defeated Harry P. Cline of Philadelphia, national champion, by a score of 50 to 49 in the first block of the 150 point three cushion billiard match for the championship emblem. Daly's high run was 4, his average .89. Cline's high run was 4, and his average was also .89. The other two blocks of 50 points each will be played tomorrow and Saturday night.

Gallagher Beats Morningstar.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Tom Gallagher defeated Orlando Morningstar tonight in the 18-2 balk line series at Daly's academy. It was his third victory in four games. He led all the way, Morningstar getting a poor start. Scores:

Gallagher—0, 19, 25, 0, 5, 18, 0, 4, 44, 14, 10, 0, 0, 17, 29, 3, 1, 5, 0, 28, 38, 12, 9, 35, 5, 8. Total, 400. Average, 15 10-26. High runs, 25, 44, 38.

Morningstar—0, 2, 6, 0, 4, 2, 0, 2, 0, 0, 5, 18, 1, 6, 7, 25, 5, 0, 17, 15, 22, 4, 0, 4, 0, 0, 2, 22. Total, 241. Average, 9 7-26. High runs, 17, 25, 22.

"WELCOME TO OUR FAIR CITY" ONCE MORE.

MAROON FIVE WINNER, 30 TO 14

Central Y. M. C. A. Player Breaks Collar Bone in Contest.

BOCKERT IS INJURED MAN.

Rough Mixup in Center of Floor Results in Accident.

The University of Chicago basketball players overwhelmed the Central Y. M. C. A. five last night at Bartlett gymnasium by a score of 30 to 14. The Maroons showed a complete reversal of form from their last game, which Central won and outclassed the visitors at every stage of the contest.

The Central team's continuous fouling contributed in a large measure to their defeat. They fouled repeatedly and Capt. John Schommer of the Midway made free throws like clock work after most of the rough work. Schommer made a total of fourteen free throws. Bockert, the Central left guard, was removed from the game near the close of the first half with a broken right collarbone. He had a hard fall in a mixup at the center of the floor. Moeller took his place, and added strength to the Central team in the last period.

Capt. Schommer chalked up two baskets from the field in addition to his free throws. Falls made three baskets and Georgen with two and Page with one completed Chicago's scoring. Moeller made the most points for Central with two baskets and two free throws. Summaries:

Maroons [30].		Y. M. C. A. [14].
Georgen	Right forward	Wolpe. Runke
Falls	Left forward	Monroe
Schommer	Center	Lange
Hoffman. Harris	Right guard	Immenhousen
Page	Left guard	Bockert Moeller

Baskets—Schommer [2], Falls [2], Georgen, Page Immenhousen, Moeller [2] Runke. Free throws—Schommer [14] Lange Wolpe Moeller [2]. Runke [2]. Referee—Reynolds. Umpire—Burn. Time of halves—20 minutes.

In the curtain raiser the Maroon freshmen defeated the Comets of the Y. M. C. A., 28 to 17. Lineup:

Freshmen [28].		Comets [17].
Parker	Right forward	Conant. Harder
Clark	Left forward	Gairing
Halsey	Center	Barrett
Burgeson	Right guard	Barrett
Keffer. Cobb	Left guard	Utz

Baskets—Clark [6], Halsey, Cobb. Gairing, Conant [2] Barnett. Utz. Free throws—Clark [7] Barrett. Harder [3]. Point awarded—Comets, 1. Referee—Bezdek. Time of halves—20 minutes.

TAYLOR IS OUT OF DUAL MEET.

Injured Leg Compels Crack Sprinter of C. A. A. to Withdraw from Event with the Maroons.

R. A. Taylor, the C. A. A.'s crack sprinter, will not take part in the indoor dual games with the University of Chicago athletes in the Bartlett gymnasium tonight on account of a lame leg. Up to the last moment he had hoped to be able to run. The short distance star injured himself while on the recent trip of the cherry circle squad, but did not believe it would prove so serious. His injury may swing the tide in favor of the Maroons. Trainer Fred Stone last night conceded the college men a victory. Coach Hugo Friend of the Maroons, however, was unwilling to predict that his men would win.

GAMES IN BOWLING LEAGUES.

Southwests Average 1,001 1-3 and Shut Out the Carnations—Lipmans Take Odd from the Sunsets.

A big series was rolled in the Southwest Bowling league last night by the Southwests, who averaged 1,001 1-3, blanking the Carnations. Fitt averaged 221 2-3, Hoffenkamp, 211 2-3, and Ruther 209 1-3. Levin of the losers had 222 flat.

In the Monroe league the Lipmans won two games from the Sunsets with an average of 861 1-3, leaving the Howards in first place. Collier notched 215 1-3 and Semones 213. In the other series the Centurys took two games from the La Matildas. The Drumers in the Business Men's league took three straight games from the Suburbans, with an average of 997, while the losers counted 954 2-6. Boice counted 228 2-3, while Herda got 218 and Paterson 210 1-3. Scores:

Southwest.	1.	2.	3.	Carnations.	1.	2.	3.
Ruther	225	204	199	C. Levin	192	189	148
Fitt	242	247	176	H. Derab'h	128	140	159
Leverenz	183	164	172	C. Levin	255	201	210
Hoffenk'p	199	212	224	Schwartz	186	183	171
Stevers	193	149	195	Bliss	207	166	175
Totals	1042	976	986	Totals	972	889	857

MONROE.

Sunsets.	1.	2.	3.	Lipmans.	1.	2.	3.
Long	210	176	177	Plenner	214	177	176
Bellfuss	190	210	176	Lipman	158	164	177
Shaefer	188	179	192	Semones	209	211	219
Scergal	170	204	209	Fisher	218	179	204
S. Murray	164	206	191	Collier	234	225	187
Totals	872	974	940	Totals	1023	956	963

Centurys.	1.	2.	3.	La Matilda.	1.	2.	3.
Kelley	203	190	174	Guston	178	168	190
Clarke	150	208	181	Schmidt	191	161	146
E. M'stain	168	139	152	Barker	139	213	174
Schultz	190	172	211	Howley	192	211	180
Arnold	241	159	195	Cooley	192	206	166
Totals	952	868	911	Totals	892	959	865

BUSINESS MEN'S.

Drumm'rs.	1.	2.	3.	Suburbans.	1.	2.	3.
Timm	179	189	195	Herda	227	215	212
Patterson	222	210	199	Rockwood	163	176	186
Phelps	221	170	158	Trainor	174	202	169
Helms	151	189	237	McDonald	178	196	169
Boice	247	228	201	Hoffman	179	202	184
Totals	1020	981	990	Totals	921	963	920

Websters	986	877	809	Pioneers	883	871	883

NORTH CHICAGO.

Edelweiss	896	943	913	Standards	828	897	900
Federals	896	841	904	Brunswicks	871	923	898

BELMONT.

Wolf's C.	774	779	753	Treuliehs	882	945	879
Schmitt Ba.	862	915	853	Sterns	821	801	796

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

Really one must look sharply if one must keep up with important happenings of this busy world. We recently have been informed that Essex (Mr. Arnold H. Read and Mr. A. S. Johnston) beat Surrey (Mr. H. C. McDonell and Dr. Trouncer) by 2 holes up and 1 to play in the first round of the cricketers' intercounty golf tournament, which was played on the grounds of the Woking club, which, as a matter of course, had previously obtained the gracious consent of his majesty King Edward.

Notwithstanding persistent rumors to the contrary, a man answering the description of Fielder Jones passed through Chicago on Wednesday. He dropped off at a suburban station and was last seen going west, or south, with indecent haste. He wore a long linen duster and a full beard which did not appear to be on the square. His presence was dutected by the imprints of his spikes in the slush. His mysterious arrival at this time is fraught with considerable significance. For particulars, keep chasing.

We are now bracing ourselves for Alfred Shrubb's impressions of America from an athletic standpoint. We hope they will be favorable, but we have grown so accustomed to the other thing that we won't mind.

Up to now Michigan feels as gloriously at home at the eastern football function as a man with a pair of tan shoes and a fancy vest at a pre-Lenten ball on the Riverside drive.

They are cramming so many "tiffics" into the game that a rail splitter who is shouldering his way through college is constantly reminded that he doesn't exactly belong.

It is more comforting to be a good doortender than to be mistaken for one.

Batting Nelson may be all-in, but he holds something over the rest of the present generation of prize fighters, inasmuch as he knows where he put it.

There is a bill before the Kentucky legislature to abolish the racing commission, the pet creature and the raison d'être of Col. Jack Chinn. We can't figure out any possibility of its passage. We still have faith in the persuasive powers of Col. Jack.

With excellent grace and good feeling on both sides, Col. Matt Winn has taken his leave of New Orleans and the "holding company" is now applying to other purposes the $62.50 per diem which represented his incumbency.

Billiard players may come and billiard players may go, but they haven't skied Gray Tom Gallagher's picture yet.

Jock MacPhearson, the curlin' body, complains that we are no givin' the attention till the roarin' game we micht. That a' may be richt; but we ha' been sae beesy wi' the cliibians o' the bairns tha' we had na time for the stanes. That is the crux of the situation.

*Added starter.

A steeplechase meeting recently was interrupted in England by the "wretched opaqueness of the atmosphere."

Cockney slang for "fog."

Entries, weights, and present prices in the Glossary handicap to be run at frequent intervals during the spring and summer are as follows:

Fan, ch. g. [a.]	136	6 to 5
Stunt, ch. m. [a.]	130	6 to 1
Clash, b. g. [7]	125	15 to 1
Hurling Hill, b. c. [3]	104	10 to 1
Ump. ch. c. [3]	100	12 to 1
*Bug, b. f. [2]	96	6 to 5
Piffle, ch. f. [3]	96	100 to 1
Stung, b. g. [6]	120	10 to 1

*Coupled with Fan.

Billy Nolan, wherever he may be now, is taking considerable chalks to himself on the claim of having been the better part of Nelson.

A company has been formed to build a $200,000 racetrack at Salt Lake City. Banking possibly on the strength of the mountains to withstand the wave.

The metric system will prevail in the measurement of time and distance in the London Olympic games. We hope Flanigan, the hammer thrower, will take his dictionary with him.

According to the last bulletin Hughes has Nine on the sport of kings in New York. When you leave it you have to go to work.

RESULTS OF SNOW RACES.

Elgin Boy won the free for all pace at the Grand Boulevard Snow driving races yesterday, defeating Cordovette in the deciding heat after each had won in their respective tiers. Solon Grattan took the free for all trot, in which four started. Billy J. finished second and there was some talk of a protest by J. A. Dalley, his owner, but this was withdrawn. Martha J. and Ruth W. were the winners in their respective divisions of the 2:20 pace, the former winning the deciding heat. Summaries:

Free for all pace—First tier:

Cordovette	1	1
Dean Patchen	2	2
Thor	3	3
Sphinx S.	4	4

Second tier:

Elgin Boy	1	1
Glen Eden	2	2
Red Ash	3	3

Free for all trot:

Solon Grattan	2	1	1
Billy J.	1	2	2
Crescent	4	3	3
I. J. M.	3	4	4

Lewis to Play Wheaton.

Lewis institute and Wheaton college fives will play at the Lewis gym tonight. Tomorrow night the Lewis swimming team will meet the Evanston Y. M. C. A. at Evanston.

Schotts	922	856	914	Imperials	840	952	965
LINCOLN.							
O'Donnells	846	819	817	Grassh'p'rs	836	737	700
MAHONEYS—THREE MEN.							
Mountains	580	480	450	Bruck Jrs.	495	542	506
Lyon Jrs.	498	482	498	Mountains	509	503	498

REVISE INDOOR BALL DATES.

Withdrawal of Oak Park and Entering of Lake Causes Changes in the School Schedule.

The withdrawal of Oak Park from the High School Indoor Baseball league and the decision of Lake to enter caused a revision of the schedule yesterday. According to the new arrangement each team will play every other team in the league once. The new schedule follows:

Feb. 7—Crane at Hoyne; Wendell Phillips at Lake View.
Feb. 14—Hoyne at McKinley; Lake at Wendell Phillips; Lake View at Crane.
Feb. 18—Wendell Phillips at Hoyne; Crane at Lake.
Feb. 21—McKinley at Wendell Phillips; Lake View at Lake.
Feb. 25—Postponed games.
Feb. 28—Lake at Hoyne; McKinley at Crane.
March 3—Lake at McKinley; Hoyne at Lake View.
March 6—Lake View at McKinley; Wendell Phillips at Crane.

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FAILS TO MAKE A DECISION

Central A. A. U. Postpones Action on Wrestling Entries.

NEEDS MORE INFORMATION.

Secretary Affleck to Issue Revised List of Basketball Teams.

The registration committee of the A. A. U. yesterday failed to dispose of the difficulties which have entangled the Chicago Turner societies in the acceptance of entries for their wrestling tournament. The committee adjourned because of lack of sufficient information. Another meeting will be held today, however, when the members expect to be able to take action.

The A. A. U. officials state that men from organizations other than the Turner association are to be allowed to compete. If this is the case the amateur body declares the games must be held under the A. A. U. regulations instead of the Turner's, or all registered athletes must withdraw from the bouts.

During the day the Central turners, one of the societies in the Chicago turners' organization, applied for a sanction in the A. A. U. which takes in all departments except the indoor baseball team.

A revised list of basketball teams registered in the Central A. A. U. will be sent out today by Secretary Affleck of the registration committee.

RACE RESULTS AT LOS ANGELES.

First race, 11-16 mile, selling—Connis M., 97 pounds [Buxton], 12 to 1, won; Black Dress, 97 [Schilling], 10 to 1, second; A. Hyman, 102 [W. Miller], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. Lancashire Lad, Kidnap, Florence Birch, Virginia Green, Tarahan, Gaga, Soldano, Saint Agnes, Joseph K., Annette, Art Critic, and Saucy M. ran.

Second race, ½ mile—Achieve, 110 pounds [Dugan], 2 to 9, won; Foreguard, 99 [Schilling], 12 to 1, second; Palo Alto, 102 [Goldstein], 100 to 1, third. Time, :48 1-5. La Reine Hindoo, Ak-Sar-Ben, Hattie Hoffman, Apto Oro, and Right Sort ran.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Canardo, 105 pounds [Dugan], even, won; Merlingo, 110 [W. Miller], 3 to 1, second; Alma Boy, 96 [Martin], 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:46. Associate, Dr. Spruill, Asors, and Charlie Paine ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, San Gabriel handicap—Edwin T. Fryer, 100 pounds [Rose], 12 to 1, won; Light Wool, 96 [Goldstein], 12 to 1, second; Col. Jack, 104 [Musgrave], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:39. Moisey, Col. White, Marster, Kilter, Mark Anthony II., and Tony Faust ran.

Fifth race, 1 3-16 miles, selling—Kinsman, 109 pounds [Ross], 3 to 1, won; Sam Bernard, 101 [Miller], 4 to 5, second; Perry Wickes, 106 [Shriner], 15 to 1, third. Time, 2:02. Bonnie Prince Charlie, Bell Mence, Anvil, and Elle ran.

Sixth race, 11-16 mile, selling—Orello, 103 pounds [W. Miller], 15 to 1, won; Miss Himyar, 98 [Goldstein], 12 to 1, second; Merrill, 100 [Burns], 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 3-5. Buster Jones, Royal Ascot, Lady Laughter, Blue Bottle, Dr. Crook, Everan, Laura E., Bon Vivant, and Rose Mary D. ran.

TRACK AND CARD BELOW STANDARD

Soft Course Causes Numerous Scratches at the Fair Grounds.

HAMMOCK BOY A WINNER.

Sprints Away from Anne McGee and Lady Leota in the 2 Year Old Race.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—With the track and program both below the standard there was little about the racing at Fair Grounds today to arouse enthusiasm. The card had been framed for a fast track and because of the change in conditions scratches were numerous. The list of six selling races brought victories for three favorites, one second choice, and three that were lightly thought of.

The two year old race was the only event not under selling conditions and furnished one of the greatest surprises of the day. With such fast fillies as Anne McGee and Lady Leota, the average of players could see nothing else worthy of consideration but these two. One was from the Corrigan and the other from the Cella barn and they attracted most of the play. Hammock Boy won the race and did it in such easy fashion as to make the early calculations look bad. Hammock Boy sprinted away from his field much after the fashion of a good colt and opened a long lead in the first furlong and without ever being given a challenge romped to the finish five lengths in front.

Aunt Rose a Surprise.

A peculiar combination of circumstances surrounded the winning of Aunt Rose in the third race. With Notter slated to ride, the Dunne filly was opened as one of the betting choices, but uncertainty as to her ability to run over a heavy track caused her to go back to 5 to 1. Notter himself was of the opinion she could not run on the slow track, that opinion being based on the other race in which he had ridden her on a heavy track. With such company as she met today Aunt Rose was well enough suited by the going to win an impressive race. Off poorly and completely out of the early running, she gradually overtook the leaders, got to the front in the last twenty yards and won going away with Ethel Carr second and Javotte, something of a good thing, third. La Scour, the heavily played favorite came to grief early and after dropping back of all chance of being a factor wound up her performance by spilling her jockey.

New Orleans Summaries.

First race, ¾ mile—Hammock Boy, 111 pounds [W. Ott], 8 to 1, won; Lady Leota, 108 [Notter], 9 to 5, second; Lady Chilton, 104 [McDaniel], 10 to 1, third. Time, :37 4-5. Anne McGee, Nixer Baby, My Lady Frances, Maid of Gotham, Silverline, Grotto, and Verbal ran.

Second race, ¾ mile, selling—Lotus Brandt, 104½ pounds [V. Powers], 5 to 2, won; Night Mist, 96 [W. Walsh], 10 to 1, second; Water Lock, 96½ [W. Ott], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:19 3-5. Our Boy, Florence Brimmer, Sir Cyril, Knighthead Sabado, and Mammon Pine ran.

Third race, ¾ mile, selling—Aunt Rose, 106 pounds [Notter], 7 to 1, won; Ethel Carr, 95 [J. McCahey], 15 to 1, second; Javotte, 100 [L. Smith], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:18 4-5. Thomas Calhoun, Melange, Dew of Dawn, Rural Boy, Donaldo, Bounding Elk, Oroba, Blue Lee, and La Scourza.

Fourth race, ¾ mile, selling—Goldprocess, 108 pounds [McDaniel], even won; Comedienne, 106 [V. Powers], 2 to 1, second; Avaunteer, 109 [J. Lee], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:18 2-5. Jersey Lady and Electrine ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Amber Jack, 104 pounds [Kohn], 12 to 1, won; Dry Dollar, 102½ [L. Smith], 20 to 1, second; Padre, 96 [L. Williams], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:53 3-5. King Brush, Ottoman, Tom Mankins, Young Stevens, Tribes Hill, Darling, Lieber Gore, and George Vivian ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Cock Sure, 107 pounds [J. Lee], 4 to 1, won; Ramapahnock, 105 [Notter], 7 to 5, second; Rebounder, 110 [J. Baker], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:51 3-5. J. D. Dunn, Sam Rice, Broken Melody, Delmore, Etrena, You Wish, Miss Jessup, and Asteroid ran.

Seventh race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Gambrinus, 105 pounds [S. Heidel], 2 to 1, won; Heart of Hyacinth, 105 [C. Henry], 6 to 1, second; Intention, 106 [Dubeil], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:52 4-5. Tinker, Paragon, Grenade, Husted, and Footlight's Favorite ran.

EL PASO IS WINNER AT 7 TO 1

Scores Victory in the Baby Race at Oakland—Fred Bent First in the Handicap.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—The longest priced winner at Oakland this afternoon was El Paso, which captured the baby race at 7 to 1. The finish was close between El Paso, Novogorod, Monarl, and Bill Eaton. The winner is owned by T. H. Griffin and is by Galveston.

The handicap was taken by Fred Bent, which won handily from Massa. Prince of Orange took the lead in the mile and a half race, which he maintained to the end. Summaries:

First race, Futurity course—Salvage, 113 [McLain], 5 to 2, won; Hershey, 92 [Gilbert], 7 to 1, second; Old Settler, 96 [Harris], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Western, Jockey Mounce, Turbet, Mitre, Bryan, Phil Ness, and Excitement ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—El Paso, 107 [Kirahbaum], 7 to 1, won; Novgorod, 105 [Keogh], 5 to 1, second; Massa, 104 [Sandy], 4 to 1, third. Time, :49 2-5. Bill Eaton, Sea Light, Leonard, Lookout, Toby Toll Boll, and Jokal ran.

Third race, selling, 1½ miles—Prince of Orange, 90 [E. Sullivan], 7 to 1, won; Eduardo, 112 [Fischer], 6 to 1, second; Lazell, 100 [Keogh], 7 to 2, third. Time, 2:43 1-5. Tetanus, Jake Moose, Rotrou, and Rose Bery ran.

Fourth race, selling, ¾ mile—Mansard, 114 [Keogh], 3 to 2, won; Plausible, 101 [Kirahbaum], 8 to 1, second; Hal, 90 [Gilbert], 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:17 1-5. Cadi, Burnett, Ruth W., Lady Mirthful, and The Broker ran. Lady Irene fell.

Fifth race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Bill Curtis, 106, [Keogh], 7 to 2, won; Kogo, 101 [Hayes], 15 to 1, second; Shady Lad, 111 [C. Miller], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:53 3-5. St. Orloff, Melar, Magrane, Royal Scot, Blackstock, Tancred, George Milburn, Lasalian, and Gerald ran.

Sixth race, Concord handicap, 1 mile—Fred Bent, 98 [Kirahbaum], 19 to 5, won; Massa, 106 [Keogh], 13 to 5, second; A. Muskday, 100 [Gaver], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 1-5. Belmere and Agnola ran.

NELSON WANTS THE BIG END

Asks Bonus and Percentage for Go with McFarland.

BADGERS DECLINE TERMS.

Stockyards Fighter May Meet Freddie Welsh at Milwaukee.

BY GEORGE SILER.

If "Packey" McFarland wants to fight Battling Nelson he will have to go to California or wait until Nelson comes to the sensible conclusion that he is no longer a star attraction. Bat dropped several pegs when Jimmy Britt defeated him and fell a few more last Tuesday night, but still thinks he is worth a champion's price.

The managers of the Badger Athletic club of Milwaukee thought he and "Packey" would draw a big gate, and soon after his defeat by Unholz wired him an excellent offer to fight "Packey." His reply stated he would sign for a 20 per cent bonus and a percentage of the gross receipts. The proposition, of course, was passed up. "Bat" may be a drawing card in Milwaukee with "Packey" simply because of the ill feeling which exists between them, and because "Bat" has not been seen in that vicinity since February, 1904. The Milwaukeeans had Nelson, Unholz, Britt, and Freddie Welsh on tap for "Packey," but at present it appears they will be compelled to fall back on Welsh, as Britt is dickering for a match with the Boer.

It is doubtful if the San Francisco fight promoters care for Nelson's services since Unholz beat him, and should they match him and McFarland the latter will be the attraction, and as such will demand the big end of the money. Packey is being besieged with offers and can go east at once and be kept busy. He would however, like to pick up a little change in this neck of the woods before again invading the east, and therefore may agree to take on Welsh.

SAY NELSON ROBBED UNHOLZ.

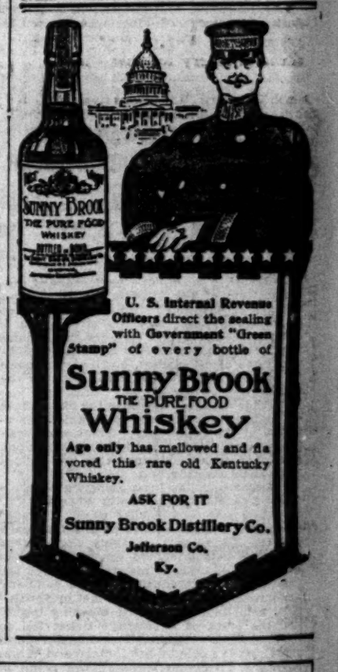
Dane Demands Half of Purse After Being Bested by Boer, and He Gets It.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—The sporting public believes Rudolph Unholz was robbed this afternoon when the purse was divided with Nelson. Under the no decision law the newspapers were depended on for a settlement of bets. All the papers of importance and the special writers gave Unholz a victory. One sporting editor, however, declared a draw should be the decision. Nelson seized on this as an excuse and demanded half the purse. Unholz needs the money. He preferred to waive claim to a victory and gave Nelson half the money. Manager McCarey was reluctant to divide, as he knew the Boer was a winner beyond the slightest doubt, but yielded to Unholz's generosity and paid the purse to the men. The general opinion was the Boer allowed Nelson to rob him, but the glory of besting Bat goes to Rudolph, who is considered the coming champion.

GOTCH AND BEELL TONIGHT.

American Champion to Wrestle the Clever Wisconsin Grappler at Catch-as-Catch-Can Style.

Champion Wrestler Frank Gotch and Fred Beell, undoubtedly the best wrestler of his weight and inches in America, will take holds at catch-as-catch-can style in the windup of the mat entertainment at Brooke's Casino tonight. The match is important to Frank, as upon its result hinges his international bout with George Hackenschmidt for the world's championship. To bring the men more evenly together, Gotch's favorite toe hold will be barred. That should make the contest more interesting, still Frank's other advantages, height, strength, and weight, should return him a winner. Beell defeated Frank about a year ago, but the latter has too much at stake to lose this time. A number of bouts will precede the main event.



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FLORIDA PARTY SPLIT IN TWAIN.

Republicans Divide, One Faction Instructing Delegates for Taft.

BOTH CLAIM THE VICTORY

District Meetings Also Result in Breaks; Fisticuffs Are Frequent.

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 6.—The republicans of Florida today held the first southern state convention to select delegates to the national convention. It was a stormy session, and before it closed it resolved itself into two meetings, the Taft and anti-Roosevelt factions each selecting four delegates at large.

The congressional district conventions of the First and Second districts also split in the same manner, each faction electing two delegates and indorsing the platform their particular faction adopted in the larger meetings.

The sessions were marked and the business interrupted by frequent knock down and drag out fights, the anti-Roosevelt faction resenting the attempts of the Taft supporters to control the sentiment.

One Side Names Taft.

Immediately after the convention was called to order the split came. The anti-Taft party determined not to indorse him, fled to the other side of the hall, and reorganized. Then the two factions chose their own delegates and built their own platforms.

The Roosevelt convention adopted resolutions approving the policies of the present administration and instructed the delegates elected to the national convention to support the president's policies and the candidate who is in sympathy with and who will carry out these policies, and then proceeded to name William H. Taft as such candidate.

Others Claim the Seats.

On the other side of the hall the contesting convention chose delegates untrammeled by instructions, positive assurance being given by Joseph N. Stripling, who led the movement, that the delegates they named would be seated in the national convention.

These republicans adopted resolutions condemning in strong terms the attempts to influence and control, by use of federal patronage, through governmental officeholders, the selection of delegates to the national convention in the interest of any presidential candidate.

POLITICAL NOTES BY WIRE.

DES MOINES, IA.—Congressman Birdsall of the Third Iowa district will not be a candidate for renomination, as a result of the Cummins-Allison senatorial fight. Birdsall espoused the cause of Senator Allison.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Henry A. Barnhart of the Rochester Sentinel, in an address to the Democratic Editorial Association of Indiana, urged newspaper men to adopt a higher standard of editorial morals.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—John Mitchell said the mine workers and other labor organizations, so far as he knew, would fight candidates for office who are opposed to the reasonable demands of labor.

ASKS FOR A JAIL SENTENCE WHEN A GIRL REFUSES HIM.

Joseph Weinberg, 28 Hastings Street, Arrested on Way to Wedding, Declines to Marry Another Girl.

Joseph Weinberg, 28 Hastings street, whose matrimonial adventures have interested the police of the Maxwell street station, yesterday told Municipal Judge Himes that he preferred a cell in the county jail to marriage with Mrs. Fanny Lewis, with whom he eloped to New York.

"It is the penitentiary or me," announced Mrs. Lewis, who is a widow, when Weinberg was being tried for larceny of $300 of her property. "Which will you take?"

"The jail," replied Weinberg before City Prosecutor Kohler could object.

Judge Himes held the prisoner to the grand jury under bonds of $1,000. Weinberg refused to accept a bondsman and was taken to the county jail.

Tuesday night Weinberg was to marry Miss Yetta Wegmann, 209 Maxwell street. While the guests were awaiting the arrival of the groom he was arrested on complaint of Mrs. Lewis.

Weinberg sent a letter to Miss Wegmann begging her to come to the jail and there be married to him. She refused.

JEWELRY CONCERN BANKRUPT; RECEIVERSHIP IS SURPRISE.

Judge Landis Acts Upon Petition Filed by Eastern Creditor of Joseph Brown & Co.

The American Trust and Savings bank yesterday was appointed receiver for the affairs of Joseph Brown & Co., wholesale jewelers, at 185 Madison street. The appointment of the receiver was made by Judge Landis after an involuntary petition in bankruptcy had been filed by a creditor.

The falling off in business in the holiday season is said to have placed the firm in an embarrassing position.

Racine & Co., a wholesale jewelry firm of New York, claims the Chicago firm owes it $5,000.

"The bringing of these proceedings was a great surprise," said Attorney Hugo Pam, representing the Brown concern. "Of course business has fallen off considerably since last fall. Some of the creditors have been pressing the firm rather hard, but as many of these claims were paid as soon as was possible."

Attorney Pam said he believed the liabilities of the firm to be in the neighborhood of $100,000, while the assets are easily worth more than that amount.

WELCOME BY SALVATION ARMY.

New Territorial Secretary for the Western States Will Be Greeted at Meeting Next Sunday.

Col. George French has arrived in Chicago to take up his duties as territorial secretary for Salvation army affairs in the western states. Commissioner George A. Kilbey will conduct public welcome services for Col. French on Sunday at the Chicago No. 1 corps, 617 West Madison street.

In connection with the services Commissioner Kilbey will launch what is known as the siege of 1908, being a special revival effort which is observed throughout the entire country.

Col. French was in command of the Salvation army operations in and around Chicago before he was transferred to the Pacific coast province seven years ago.

WOMAN INSULTED; FILES SUIT.

Mrs. Jean McLean of Brookfield Says Guard on Elevated Platform Struck Her in Crowd.

A suit declaring that she was insulted and assaulted by a guard on the elevated platform at Lake and State streets was filed against the Northwestern Elevated Railroad company yesterday by Mrs. Jean McLean of Brookfield.

According to her attorney, Willis Melville, Mrs. McLean was pushed back by the crowd on the platform Nov. 27. When this was repeated the guard struck and kicked at her and finally spit at her.

Mrs. McLean demands $500 for the injuries she claims to have received and for the nervous shock from which she says she has not recovered.

PLANS FOR BIG CONVENTION

Republican National Committeemen to Meet Here Soon.

AWAIT WORD FROM CANNON.

Speaker's List of Proposed Delegates Likely to Be Changed.

Chairman Harry New, Secretary Elmer Dover, and the subcommittee of the republican national committee in charge of arrangements for the national convention will meet in Chicago Feb. 14, 15, and 16 to prepare for the national gathering.

Headquarters probably will be opened then at the Auditorium Annex, although it is likely that the preparations will not require the continuous attendance of any members of the national committee thus far in advance of the convention.

Mr. New and the other national committeemen will meet with Fred Upham, Samuel Raymond, and other members of the local committee on arrangements and make final plans for the reseating of the Coliseum to give it the desired capacity.

As soon as Speaker Joseph G. Cannon says when and how he wants the Illinois delegates to the convention chosen, State Chairman Roy O. West will call a meeting of the republican state committee to arrange for the state convention.

Cannon's List May Be Changed.

Originally it was the intention of the national speaker to recognize the services of the Illinois congressmen in his behalf by giving all the republican members of the national house from Illinois places on the state delegation.

This plan was not received well and Congressman William B. McKinley of Champaign, Mr. Cannon's campaign manager, has taken the initiative in showing the congressmen that they should not expect it. He has announced that he does not wish to be elected as a national delegate and it is expected that the other Illinois republican candidates will follow his lead.

In many districts the men interested in republican politics believe a congressman gets plenty when he gets his nomination and that there should be such a thing as an even distribution of "honors." So Mr. Cannon's original list of delegates is likely to be amended considerably.

Yates to Give Answer Monday.

Richard Yates is expected to give his answer Monday on the question of his candidacy for governor. Politicians still think he will become a candidate, although disappointed by the refusal of Mayor Busse to make a fight in his behalf against Gov. Deneen.

Congressman Lorimer, it is said, has given the former governor assurances that he will support him in every way possible, and his friends still count on the withdrawal of other candidates in his behalf. Speaker Edward D. Shurtleff does not seem to be so much disposed towards this course now as he was during the primary fight in the legislature, but the Yates people figure that the only logical method which can be used in campaigning against Deneen is to center their strength on one down state candidate.

ATTEND "WARD 13" BANQUET.

Republican Club Members Sing Hymn When Slain Comrade's Picture Is Exhibited.

Nearly 300 members of the Thirteenth Ward Republican club attended the organization's third annual banquet last night in Linpert hall, 1443 Van Buren street.

David Clark, committeeman of the Thirteenth ward, acted as master of ceremonies. Addresses were made by Judges Newcomer, Crowe, and Dicker, Oscar Olson, Drainage Trustee Williams, Thomas O'Shaunnessy, and Senator Crulkshank.

Pictures of republican leaders, both state and county, were thrown on a curtain hung near the head of the banquet table. When the picture of George Kopf, who was murdered in a Thirteenth ward fight, was exhibited every one arose and sang, "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

MAN KILLS SELF AND CHILD WHILE CRAZED BY THE GRIP.

Gustav Walstedt, 244 Fifty-fifth Street, Found Dead by Wife on the Floor by 9 Year Old Daughter's Side.

Temporarily crazed by an attack of grip, Gustav Walstedt, 244 Fifty-fifth street, shot his 9 year old daughter, Helen, between the eyes and then killed himself, yesterday morning.

Walstedt apparently had contemplated suicide, as he had got up in the middle of the night, secured his revolver, and placed it under his pillow. When morning came he went to his daughter's room and roused her from sleep. While she was sitting on the edge of her bed, in her night clothes, the father pointed the gun squarely between her eyes and fired.

His wife, who was in the kitchen preparing breakfast, hurried to the bedroom, but before she reached it a second shot was heard, and Walstedt fell to the floor dead. He had fired into the roof of his mouth, the bullet passing into his brain. Mrs. Walstedt found her daughter still breathing, but she died before a physician could reach her.

Walstedt, who was employed in the Illinois Central shops at Burnside, had been ill for two weeks, and was convalescing. He had planned to return to work on Monday, although doctors had advised him to take a long rest. His wife said he had been acting strangely for three days.

GOT MAD

When Told That Coffee Hurt Him.

Read Below.

One of the evidences that coffee is injurious to the nervous system is the fact that many persons who are addicted to its use grow wrathy when the suggestion is made that coffee causes them to "flare up" so easily.

A doctor writes:

"Coffee three times a day—I thought I could not get along without it. I was never well, prone to get excited and often trembled, but any suggestion that coffee was not good for me made me furious.

"I noticed the tendency to become excited was growing on me. My hands and feet were cold, fingers looked shriveled, liver inactive, constipated, coated tongue, bad breath and general lower vitality. (A perfect picture of caffeine poisoning.)

"A friend strongly advised me to give up coffee and use Postum, so I tried the change a few weeks and found a marked improvement in temper, nerves and general condition. I felt so firm that I thought I could go back to coffee. Three times I tried it but always had to quit coffee and return to Postum.

"Being a physician with a large practice and plenty of experience, it was hard for me to believe that coffee could have such a profound effect on my system. Perhaps my fondness for the beverage made me loath to admit its ill effects.

"For several years now I have ordered hundreds of patients to quit coffee and have prescribed Postum instead with good results to the patients and more prompt response to my medicines." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in packages.

MAKING PLANS FOR A BRIGHTER CITY.

Aldermen in Budget to Supply 5,500 Additional Electric Street Lights.

HEALTH BUREAU AIDED.

Shippy to Have Two New Police Inspectors; Town of Lake Gets One of Them.

Chicago will be a good deal lighter, healthier, and cleaner as a result of some decisions reached yesterday by the committee on finance of the city council, which has under consideration the annual budget.

To begin with, the committee decided to buy enough electricity from the sanitary district to supply 5,500 additional street lamps. These will be placed in streets where there is not sufficient illumination, will replace gas lights in a great many instances, and will be established at the entrances of dark alleys, where the holdup man has been wont to lurk.

Then Commissioner of Public Works John J. Hanberg made such an eloquent plea for the removal of garbage that the committee decided to give him an additional sum of $500,000, which will be expended largely in wards where the people have to remove the garbage themselves, if it is taken away.

Commissioner Hanberg also asked the finance committee to appropriate $36,000 for the citizens' street cleaning bureau for this year, the same amount that was appropriated last year. He said it would be impossible for the city to do the same amount of street cleaning downtown as the bureau did for that amount—and the additional sum that is contributed by the merchants. The bureau last year spent $60,000 cleaning downtown streets.

Aid for Health Department.

Commissioner of Health Evans believes the health of the city will be greatly improved and the death rate will be reduced materially as a result of the committee's decision to give him fifteen or more additional sanitary inspectors. These inspectors will pay particular attention to crowded tenement houses and their work is expected to give an impetus to the construction of model tenements, especially in the Ghetto, in the Italian quarters, and in certain portions of the First ward.

It was decided to allow the police department an appropriation sufficient to pay for two new inspectors. One of these will be downtown with a "working, mounted captain" under him. The other will have the town of Lake as his division, with the Stockyards station as headquarters. The stations in his jurisdiction will also comprise Englewood, South Englewood, and the New City station, back of the yards.

May Build Two New Bridges.

The committee has about made up its mind that there are funds available for the construction of only two new bridges this year. One of these, a $850,000 structure, will be at La Salle street. The other, to cost $180,000, will be at Polk street. The Erie street bridge will be repaired at a cost of $15,000. Washington street bridge will not be built, it was stated, unless by the Sanitary district trustees.

City Collector Ernest Magerstadt asked the committee for $600 a year increase in salary for Deputy Collector Jerry McCarthy and for a similar amount for Chief Clerk Michael Derig.

OPEN NEW SEWER SYSTEM WITH A DYNAMITE BLAST.

Lawrence Avenue Tunnel, Under Construction for Ten Years, Is Completed by Engineer R. A. Bonnell.

A clay bulkhead eight feet thick was blown from the mouth of the new intercepting Lawrence avenue tunnel yesterday, and a sewer system it had taken exactly ten years to build was in operation.

The bulkhead, which, was at the point where the new sewer empties into the north branch of the river, was blown up with a heavy charge of dynamite. When the tunnel under the lake off Lawrence avenue is completed, which will be about Aug. 1, the whole system will be finished. This lake tunnel is intended to provide clean water to flush the sewer.

The Lawrence avenue intercepting sewer relieves the lake of all the north side sewage. It intercepts all the big mains of the north side and deflects the flow of sewage to the river. It empties into the north branch at Lawrence and Kedzie avenues. The work of blowing out the bulkhead was in the immediate charge of Engineer R. A. Bonnell.

Wire Scares Man to Death.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 6.—William Smith, a Hazelkirk coal miner, was frightened to death today by a live wire. An examination showed the wire did not carry sufficient voltage to even stun a man.

CITY WILL SOLVE PROBLEM OF LOOP

(Continued from first page.)

dividend which caused Attorney C. N. Goodwin to remark that while he was talking about the financial condition of the roads he had nothing to say about the Union Loop company, which was making money enough, and Chairman Foreman added:

"The question before us is not a financial one, but how best to accommodate the people of Chicago."

Then the representatives of the Loop Protective association and the real estate interests had their inning. Their speakers were J. F. Bowers, R. E. Ismond, Adrian C. Honoré, George S. Eddy, and W. N. Eisendrath, and all agreed on two things.

One was that under no circumstances must station platforms be lengthened.

The other was that through routes offered the best immediate relief for the situation.

The railroad people had quoted Bion J. Arnold in favor of platform extensions, so these speakers in turn quoted Mr. Arnold's second report in which he said that through routes would enlarge the capacity of the loop 100 per cent and insisted they should be the remedy.

Longer Platforms Opposed.

The objections made to platform extensions were:

That they would turn the streets in which the loop runs into extended caverns, in which light and air would be shut off from the stores and offices.

That these streets are already bearing their full share of the public burden of affording access to the downtown district for the elevated roads.

That owners of property damaged by the loop have rights which should be considered and no settlement would be a fair one which would still further depreciate the value of this property.

Mr. Honoré, who represented the Palmer interests in Wabash avenue, listened to a remark by one of the aldermen to the effect that, "You people on the loop oughtn't to kick; look at the great value the 'L' loop is and has been to your property."

"On the contrary," replied Mr. Honoré, "it has been a positive detriment. It has made of Wabash avenue a mere alley tributary to State street and Michigan avenue. I think it would be worth $5,000,000 to property abutting the loop to have the structure pulled down. I think the Palmer house interests would be glad to pay their proportion to get it down."

Loop Hurts Realty Values.

Mr. Ismond, representing property owners on the loop, said the loop was detrimental in that it caused a lowering in rents. He said if the companies would adopt the plan used by the Illinois Central of having doors at each seat the cars could be emptied, and congestion avoided better than by extending the platforms.

George S. Eddy also told of the damage to property and the dirt caused by the operation of the loop.

"At the present time," he said, "it is impossible to walk along any of the loop streets and hold a conversation. The city always has stood for clean streets, but the extension of the platforms will make them filthier. The companies will soon want to encircle the loop with platforms. If they are told they can have no more privileges they will soon find a way to handle the traffic."

Foreman for Prompt Action.

Chairman Foreman announced that, considering the attitude of the roads, he saw no use for any more public hearings and the committee would adjourn subject to call. He hoped to have an engineer at work on one or more plans by next week.

The south side street car company, the old Chicago General, sent in an application for a new ordinance in place of the one it is now operating under. That expires in 1912. It covers the present lines of the company in Twenty-second and adjoining streets and Lawndale avenue, and in all essentials is a copy of the ordinances of the Chicago City and Chicago Railways companies. It was referred to a subcommittee of Ald. Dever, Maypole, and Stewart.

THREE DEAD IN NEW YORK FIRE.

Four of Eight Families in Apartment House Accounted For—Two Persons Jump to Death.

New York, Feb. 7, 3 a. m.—Fire in a five story apartment house at West Seventieth street and Columbus avenue at 2 o'clock this morning resulted in the death of three persons. Margaret Landon, 21 years old, died from suffocation a few moments after being carried to the street by firemen. Four of eight families occupying the building are accounted for. Some members of the family of Adolph Schwartz are missing. Two persons were killed by jumping from windows.

Presbyterian Synod Incorporated.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 6.—The synod of Illinois of the Presbyterian church was licensed to incorporate today in accordance with a decision reached at the meeting of the synod last year. The principal office will be maintained in Springfield.

ENLISTS CLERGY IN GAMBLING WAR

Bishop Doane of Albany Diocese Urges Action in Race-track Crusade.

ECHO OF HUGHES' FIGHT.

Three More Bills to Prohibit Gaming Introduced in the Assembly.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The Rt. Rev. F. M. Crosswell Doane, bishop of the Albany Episcopal diocese, has sent a letter to the clergy of his diocese in which he advises that they take up the question of anti-racetrack gambling legislation and urge remedial action. The letter says:

"The governor of New York, in his address on the anti-racetrack gambling question, touched the sin and wrong of gambling.

"It is not our way, and I hope it never will be, to use the pulpit of the Episcopal church for dealing in detail with questions of legislative enactments. But there seems to me an opportunity offered here which I am disposed to ask the clergy to deal with, of pointing out the sin and wrong which underlie this whole question.

"Disguised under innumerable forms, some seemingly innocent and harmless, the passion for gambling is tolerated and indulged in for private amusements and in public entertainments, with an apparent dullness of conscience as to its sin which is anxious and alarming. Wherever it is done, in pool rooms or in parlors, on the track or in public entertainments for charity, it is essentially wicked and full of evil consequences and the reasons are plain to see and easy to find. Its root is the deadly sin of covetousness—'the desire to get something for nothing.'"

Three more bills aimed at gambling were introduced in the assembly today. One would prohibit gambling in card games in clubs, residences, and hotels, and also prohibit lotteries at fairs given for charitable, religious, or other purposes. Another defines a lottery of any kind as a game of chance. The third bill would repeal the law legalizing contracts in the sale of stocks and bonds.

SAYS HE BOUGHT USED GOODS.

M. T. Goss, 6052 Prairie Avenue, Exhibits Silver and Linen Bearing Hotels' Names.

L. H. Winne sold furniture for a flat that he had in storage to M. T. Goss, 6052 Prairie avenue, and took in part payment a note for $400. When he sued for the balance of the account yesterday in Judge Goodnow's court Goss claimed that all the linen and silver bore the marks of various hotels and restaurants and that he did not want the goods. The articles were exhibited in court yesterday. Winne declared that he had never seen them before. The case was continued until Feb. 11.

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Final clearing sale *of* men's shirts at 55¢

Main floor, State

A grand assortment of shirts that retailed during the season at $1 and 1.50. Some of them slightly soiled now from handling, but laundering is an easy matter. Plaited, plain negligee and stiff bosom shirts, cuffs attached or detached, to close at the one price, 55c.

Men's union suits at extreme reductions

Main floor, State

Broken and odd lines, in wool, cotton, silk and wool and merino, strictly perfect underwear; chance to buy for present and future needs at less than half the usual selling prices. Regular 1.50 to $5 values, divided into three lots, choice at 95c, 1.50 and $2.

February sale *of* men's boxed hosiery

Main floor, State

Black cotton, extra quality, box of six pairs for 1.25, 1.50 and 1.85.
Black cotton hosiery, tootease split soles, six pairs, $1, 1.25 and 1.85.
Black lisle hosiery, spring weight, box of six pairs for 1.85.
Silk lisle hosiery, no seams, the box of six pairs for 1.25.

Sale *of* men's gloves at half price

Included in this lot are men's $2 and 2.50 gloves; silk lined and unlined reindeer, cape and mocha gloves. The styles and colorings are the very best; come in all sizes and no one will have any trouble in finding a satisfactory fit. An extraordinary value for this sale at 1.25.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1908.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

APOLLO COMMANDERY NO. 1, K. T.—SIR Knights! You are requested to assemble in the asylum on Friday, Feb. 7, at 1 p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our deceased frater, Sir Knight George W. Linn, who died at his home, 1850 Arlington place. A. G. DICUS, Em. Commander.
HENRY S. TIFFANY, Recorder.

BETTER PAY FOR ALDERMEN.

When the charter was being discussed one of the points made against it was that it provided for paying salaries of $3,500 a year to fifty aldermen. That was denounced as shocking extravagance. Now the house has passed, and the senate will pass when it has a quorum, a bill for the payment of $3,500 salaries to seventy aldermen, but nobody has yet opposed it on the ground that it would be a wasteful use of "the money of the people."

There is no popular opposition to paying aldermen a fair compensation for fair service. Their work is not to be measured by a weekly meeting. They have so much legitimate city business to attend to that a man whose private business requires close attention cannot afford to go into the council. It is true that there never is a lack of men, good, bad, and indifferent, who are eager to become aldermen, but if the city uses a man's time it should pay him for it.

While it is the general impression that better salaries mean better aldermen, the eagerness of unfit men to get into the council is nowise lessened by an increase in pay. Aldermen are getting more today than they did a dozen years ago, but there are still some unsavory characters in the council. No matter how high salaries may be, bad men will creep in unless voters are on the alert.

The salary bill cannot be passed before May. Therefore it will not benefit the men who are to be elected next April nor their holdover colleagues. The pay of an alderman cannot be raised during the term for which he was elected.

The mayor would have liked to have the bill passed this month with an emergency clause attached, so that the aldermen to be chosen month after next might have profited by it.

It is not impossible that a good many undesirable citizens will be chosen next April. It is more than likely that there will be if the liquor question in any of its phases shall be an issue at the election. When that is the issue voters are apt to disregard the real, material qualifications of aldermanic candidates, such as integrity, efficiency, and experience, and vote for men who think as they do about some measure which the council may not have any control over.

The Municipal Voters' league has given the voters some good advice concerning the aldermanic situation, and will give them more after the nominations shall have been made. There is great danger that it will be disregarded if the voters shall get entangled in and wrought up over a saloon controversy. In the past such controversies have been the prelude of a bad council, and are likely to be so again.

THE NAVAL ESTIMATES.

The secretary of the navy asks for $74,000,000 for the construction and conversion of war vessels. Of this amount $38,000,000 would go for the construction of four battleships. There is an impression that the house committee on naval affairs will not accept the secretary's program, but that it will be so far influenced by declining revenues and the desirability of retrenchment in expenditures as to cut it down about 45 per cent.

The chairman of the committee on appropriations has warned congress that to grant the departments all they ask for would mean a deficit of $100,000,000. It would not be good politics for the party in power to make public provision for such a deficit and then plunge into a presidential campaign, asking for a renewed lease of office.

The internal revenue receipts have not fallen off materially, but those from customs have. The total appraised value of merchandise imported last month was $27,000,000 less than for the corresponding month of last year. The decrease was partly due to a diminished consumption of luxuries. Thus imports of diamonds fell from $3,500,000 to $310,000. The decrease was chiefly, however, in materials to be used for manufacturing purposes. This is but one of the indications of slackening industrial activity.

Another, which is too significant to be disregarded, is the decline in railroad traffic. The roads which six months ago had not enough freight cars and engines now have 300,000 idle freight cars and thousands of idle engines. Because of the sudden cessation of the domestic and foreign demand for engines 10,000 of the employés of the Baldwin Locomotive works have been laid off. The ability of the community to pay taxes, direct or indirect, has been temporarily affected, and congress should acknowledge the change in conditions by keeping expenditures within bounds.

It may be that other countries will increase their expenditures for naval purposes. They may do it, although the industrial depression which affects the United States has affected them also. They may do it, although a proper regard for the welfare of an overtaxed people should demand a severer economy than is required here. That would not justify the United States in engaging in naval construction on a grand scale at this time. It is not necessary to imitate foreign nations in their extravagances.

The chairman of the appropriations committee has said that the estimates for the "military side" of the government call for $427,000,000, or more than 50 per cent of the estimated revenues. That is an interesting statement in view of the fact that these are peace times and this a peaceful nation. The "peace side" of the government ought to have the spending of more than half of the appropriations except in war times.

LIMITING COLLEGE ATHLETICS.

The demand for saner relationships in intercollegiate athletics found forcible expression in the middle west about three years ago. As a result the "championship" idea was eliminated. Contests among the larger institutions of the region were suspended by common agreement. Strict legislation was adopted to correct certain noteworthy evils. Freshmen were not allowed to compete. The number of football games in a season was reduced. Faculty members who had remained silent while the athletic craze was at its height asserted themselves in bold declarations that the primary purpose of the college was being forgotten in the eager rush for athletic honors. As a result of all this the atmosphere was much cleared and a much better intercollegiate feeling was established.

The eastern colleges have been slower in meeting the situation. The agents of some of them have been busy inducing western high school athletes to go east. The majority of students attend the colleges near their homes. The minority have always gone away, perhaps to the old institution of father, brother, or close friends. But the athletic craze in the east has led to some unnatural college alliances of western boys, difficult to explain except on the basis of the "inducements" which played such a part in the western cleanup a few years ago.

It now appears as if the eastern institutions were to act effectively. The reported refusal of the Dartmouth faculty to allow its football team to make a trip to Ann Arbor for a game with Michigan is an indication of the changing sentiment. It requires no diagram to convince any one that rivalry can play no part in such a game. Under no circumstances can Dartmouth and Michigan be counted rival institutions. The gate money is the only feature of any interest. The attitude of President Eliot of Harvard in reference to intercollegiate athletics is well known. He has not failed to note the evils which attend the situation and has raised his voice against them on several occasions.

The trustees of Williams have just taken a position which is bound to arouse discussion in other eastern college circles. They have voted that, after Jan. 1, 1909, students of the college shall not engage in any athletic contest with those of another institution more than 200 miles from Williamstown, nor shall there be more than two contests a year in any one sport with any other institution except in case of a tie. In support of this decision they show that in the last eight years 456 intercollegiate contests have been waged by Williams' students. That makes a yearly average of fifty-seven, or more than one a week for the entire period. The average annual number of contestants was twenty-three, of whom fourteen wore the "W." It will be recalled that the western investigation laid emphasis upon the small number of actual participants in athletics compared with the total enrollment of students.

The Williams report declares that the college was established to make men of intellectual power and integrity of character. The trustees cannot remain quiet and see the primary aim of the institution committed to their care made subordinate to any other influence. The restriction of the zone of contest and the limitation of the number of games is the result. That this position will be followed by action of other colleges seems certain. It is a distinct step in the right direction.

SUICIDE FREAKS.

THE TRIBUNE has commented recently upon the increasing number of suicides in this country and upon certain aspects of self-murder as related to other crimes. No suggestion, however, has yet been made from any source of any way to decrease this number. The pulpit has inveighed against it, but the pulpit seems to be powerless. In some states the courts have administered severe penalties in cases where suicide has been attempted, but it does not reduce the number. The Salvation army has been making an earnest effort to restrain suicides, but thus far with little effect. It seems to be a hopeless undertaking.

One of the most hopeless features of the situation is the absurd causes which induce persons to "jump the life to come" and the rapid spread of the crime among children. A few instances of suicide, all within the last five weeks, will illustrate this: Jan. 9 Alberta Mitchell, a St. Louis girl of 14, poisoned herself because her mother had spanked her. On the same day Joseph H. Sheppard of Millville, N. J., shot himself because his wife had presented him with the seventh child. Jan. 15 John S. Peters, a juryman of Beatrice, Neb., shot himself because he had helped to find a man guilty of murder; Jesse Riddle of Galena, Kas., 16 years of age, poisoned himself because he saw his 15 year old sweetheart dancing with another boy, and Walter Condron, a 15 year old boy of Punxsutawney, Pa., hanged himself because his uncle would not lend him a horse to take his girl to a prayer meeting. On the next day A. M. Chamberlain of Bradford, Pa., shot himself because when he returned home from work he found that his wife had gone to a skating rink and failed to get his dinner. Jan. 17 Bessie Conroy of Anaconda, Mont., 14 years of age, poisoned herself because her mother reproved her for some trifling offense. Jan. 20 Seth Schuyler, a Brooklyn (N. Y.) schoolboy, hanged himself because he lost in a public debate on capital punishment. Jan. 26 Bernice Coe, a student of Columbia college, Oregon, poisoned herself because her progress in her studies was not satisfactory. Jan. 28 Edith Forney, a young girl of Adrian, Mich., poisoned herself because a young married man of the place declined to divorce his wife and marry her. Jan. 31, Christian Krebs of St. Joseph, Mo., 57 years of age, old enough to have known better, killed himself because his gas bill was larger than he had expected. Feb. 1 Lillie Jordan, a 16 year old bride in St. Louis, whose 16 year old husband had deserted her, went to her aunt's and requested her to play a two step. During the music she drank poison and two stepped out of the world, leaving a written request that the photographs of two or three boys be laid next her heart.

All these absurd suicides have occurred in the last five weeks, and the number of the morbid, maudlin creatures committing similar ones is increasing quite as rapidly as the number of suicides for which there seems to be some justification. The most hopeless feature of the case is the large and constantly increasing number of children who commit this crime for silly reasons. Perhaps the way to reduce the number is to impress upon children the joy and value of life and make it more enjoyable for them. Then they will not be so likely to grow up and get tired of life before they are half through with it.

DOUBTLESS ex-Banker Morse has managed to grab enough of it to keep him in comparative luxury in some foreign city which might be named in two or three guesses.

NOW THAT Cottage Grove avenue has learned what Prof. Shorey thinks of it, will it kindly proceed to uplift itself a little?

FURTHERMORE, by wearing robes in their courtrooms the municipal judges will be able to dispense with their overcoats.

ONE of the latest schemes is a canal across the Alps, thus connecting Italy with the hither side by a short cut, but utterly ruining a bit of historic eloquence.

IN consequence of the troubles of Mr. Hip Lung the local celebration of the Chinese New Year is marked by less enthusiasm this year than ordinarily.

IF Eddie Foy's voice is worth insuring for $50,000 he ought to take out a policy of $1,000,000 on his grin.

AS TO Mr. Leiter, all that is needed to establish a complete alibi in his case is the concurrent testimony of the young woman to whom he says he is not engaged.

EVERY public spirited citizen is ready to join in the crusade for a safe and sane February.

MOST of the telegraph editors entertain a secret preference for Mr. Taft. His is a name that works easily into a display head.

REMEMBER, too, that Pontiac is in Illinois, and not in Russia or Turkey.

PERHAPS it would be unfair to hold Medicine Hat responsible for all the varieties of breezes that contend for the mastery at the Masonic temple corner this month.

BOURKE COCKRAN, whose name has thirteen letters in it, has come out for William J. Bryan—whose name also has thirteen letters.

THE Pontiac treatment for total blindness, according to the latest story, is to knock the patient down and kick it out of him.

IT is due to the good people of Pontiac, however, to add that they are not responsible for the unspeakable horrors of the state institution that happens to be located there.

WILL those in the audience who think crêpe de chine is silk please rise?

IN order to be able to sympathize with the rest of the population Mayor Busse is experimenting with a personally conducted case of the grip.

ALL the reports indicate that Punta Arenas has treated Uncle Sam's fleet of battleships with genuine southernmost hospitality.

HOW WOULD it do to raise the pay of the policemen in proportion to the number of holdup men, burglars, or other crooks whom they capture in the act?

IN A MINOR KEY.

Another Reactionary.

Rivers—"How do the words of the 'Marseillaise' begin?"

Brooks—"Something like this, I think:

"'Ye sons of thunder, wake to glory!
Hark, hark, what messages bid you rise!'"

On the Elevated.

"Judge, you always ride in the smoker, yet you never smoke."

"Yes; if I go into one of the other cars I might crowd some tired person out of a seat. In here it doesn't make any difference whether I do or not."

Lateral Spread.

Mr. Jagway was on his way home, and in his devious wanderings from side to side he was using the entire width of the walk.

"When feller's in thish condition," he muttered, "you've got t' give him some latitude."

Keeping Cool.

The 300 pound renter on the sixteenth floor looked about for the fire escape, the elevators having stopped running and the smoke forbidding the use of the stairways.

At last he found it.

"Pretty blamed narrow escape!" he said.

But he managed to squeeze through it.

Motherly Solicitude.

"You don't mean to tell me she's Miss Welton's chaperon?"

"Yes."

"That handsome and stylish young woman a chaperon!"

"Yes; poor Vera's father was married again a few weeks ago, you know, and her new stepmother insists on being along with her wherever she goes."

Squaring Himself.

The distiller who had made his fortune in the inland town had just moved to the big city.

"It looks kind o' mean to come here to spend my money," he said; "but it isn't. Here's where they consume four-fifths of my product."

Thus reflecting, he began to entertain lavishly.

His Statesmanlike Attitude.

Constituent—"Senator, out our way we've got a notion that you're strongly opposed to any revision of the tariff."

Distinguished Senator—"My dear sir, you do me an injustice. I am perfectly willing that the tariff be revised. All I'm opposed to is the making of any attempt to correct it."
C. W. T.

FACTS ABOUT MICHIGAN.

In the family of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller of Niles there are four sets of twins. Each set was born on a Sunday.

Joseph Davey of Big Rapids began putting cement to its present uses away back in the '40s. He claims to be the original cement man.

Dr. James A. Craig, professor of Semitic languages at Ann Arbor, invented a system of shorthand when a student at McGill university. He has used it constantly for thirty years.

Alec Llor, the "piper of North Muskegon," has a violin which, he says, is a genuine Stradivarius. In civil war time on the Mississippi river he used to get $50 a night to play it.

S. C. Darrow, the Izaak Walton of Boardman lake, is catching pike through the ice and 300 feet of water by means of a "tipup," a sort of semaphore. He sits on shore near a comfortable fire, and when the arm tips down that means there is a pike on the hook and he goes out and takes it in.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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PRINCE ANDREW GALITZINE, who is now on the ocean bound for New York to attend the wedding of his kinsman, the duc de Chaulnes, belongs, like the latter's mother, who was born as Princess Sophie Galitzine, to a branch of the Galitzine family which can scarcely be regarded as Russian. For early in the last century they became converts to Roman Catholicism and were in consequence thereof compelled to leave Russia and to submit to the confiscation of their estates, owing to which they are extremely poor. Ever since their expulsion from Russia they have made their home in France and in Switzerland.

The Galitzines are descended from Guediminus, grand prince of Lithuania, who flourished in the fourteenth century, and who was the founder of the Jagellon dynasty. The name of Galitzine is derived from "galitza"—that is to say, a gauntlet—which the immediate ancestor of the family—namely: Michael Boulgakoff—was accustomed to always wear on his right hand, never being seen without it. Prince Basil Galitzine was one of the four candidates for the throne of Russia in 1610, but gave way, like the Troubetskois of his day, in favor of Michael Romanoff, from whom the present czar is descended.

Whole columns would be needed to enumerate the names of the statesmen, great generals, and able administrators whom the house of Galitzine has given to Russia. It is to Wasili Galitzine that Russia really owes the conquest of the Crimea, to Michael Galitzine the acquisition of Finland, and to Demetrius Galitzine the possession of Livland.

Another Demetrius Galitzine was the intimate friend and patron in Russia of Voltaire. Prince Sergius Galitzine devoted the greater part of his immense fortune to the intellectual development of his fellow countrymen and to the endowment of all sorts of educational and scientific institutions. One Prince Galitzine died as ambassador at Vienna and lies buried on a hill which was in his days just at the gates of the Austrian capital and is known to this day as Galitzinberg. Then there was that Prince Galitzine who behaved so splendidly as governor general of Moscow during the great cholera epidemic, giving up his entire salary and allowances to the relief of the stricken and spending his days in visiting the various hospitals.

Finally there was that Prince John Galitzine who was grand master of the household of the now widowed empress, her favorite dancer, her constant attendant, and the close friend and mentor of the present czar. He was with the latter in England throughout Nicholas' courtship of Princess Alix of Hesse, and there are few men who enjoy a greater reputation for brilliancy and wit in London and in Paris, as in St. Petersburg, than this John Galitzine.

His sister, Countess Obiokoff, was shot dead some years ago by her husband, the general of that name, while she was walking along the Nevsky Prospect at St. Petersburg with a former aid de camp of the general's at a moment when the promenade was thronged with all the rank and fashion of the capital. The general, besides killing his wife, mortally wounded the young officer.

Alexander III., during whose reign this tragedy occurred, held the general had been temporarily bereft of his reason by a jealousy for which there was some ground, and accordingly, instead of dealing with him as an ordinary murderer, consigned him to the terrible Solovetsk prison monastery near Archangel to spend the remainder of his days in prayer and fasting, shut off from all communication and intercourse with the outer world.

Here in the United States the name of Galitzine is chiefly known in connection with the career of Prince Alexander Galitzine, who played a certain rôle in New York society, to which he was introduced through the late Mrs. Paran Stevens, to whom he had brought letters of introduction. He was one of the suitors for the hand of Miss Anna Gould and went about a good deal with Prince Hatzfeldt, the son-in-law of Mrs. Collis P. Huntington.

Eventually he came to grief financially here and lent himself to a sale at which the articles disposed of purported to be his "ancestral heirlooms" and masterpieces from the "famous Galitzine collection," but which turned out to be merely an ordinary auction sale of the refuse of New York bric-à-brac shops and to which he had given his name in consideration of a sum of $800, of which $100 was payable on the signature of the contract.

The exposure of this precious scheme to which the prince had lent himself was made by Robert Fullerton and other reputable bric-à-brac dealers in New York, who had been approached by him in the matter and had refused to entertain his scheme, and to make matters worse he was served at the same time with papers in behalf of Paris jewelers from whom he had obtained some $30,000 worth of gems, bringing them to this country, where they were either pawned or otherwise disposed of. After this he disappeared from the scene, and when next heard of was connected with the Salvation army in New York and other American cities, which, however, was, in spite of its forbearance, obliged to dispense with his services and to ship him out of the United States.

To offset the career of this Prince Galitzine in America I may mention that there has been another one over here who as a priest of the Roman Catholic church did a wonderful amount of good work of a missionary and charitable character among the poorest classes of foreigners around Pittsburg and in the mining districts of Pennsylvania, where his name is held to this day in great honor and even veneration.

"Mme. Esperance," who, owing to differences with her mother and relatives, is reduced for want of money to doing ballad turns at the Belfast hippodrome, is the Hon. Norah Johnston, wife of the Rev. Charles J. Johnston, eldest sister and heiress to the viscounty of her brother, Lord Massereene and Ferrard, whose marriage contracted some five years ago has remained without issue. Her mother, the widowed Viscountess Massereene, is a daughter of the famous sportsman and novelist, Maj. Whyte Melville.

The viscounty of Massereene is, I believe, the only one in the Irish peerage that descends to the heirs general—that is to say, in the female as well as in the male line, instead of exclusively in the latter. It was conferred on Sir Charles Cloteworthy for the part which he played in promoting the restoration of King Charles II., and the patent was granted with remainder to his son-in-law, Sir John Skeffington, who succeeded him as second viscount and who was himself descended from the Sir William Skeffington of the reign of King Henry VIII.

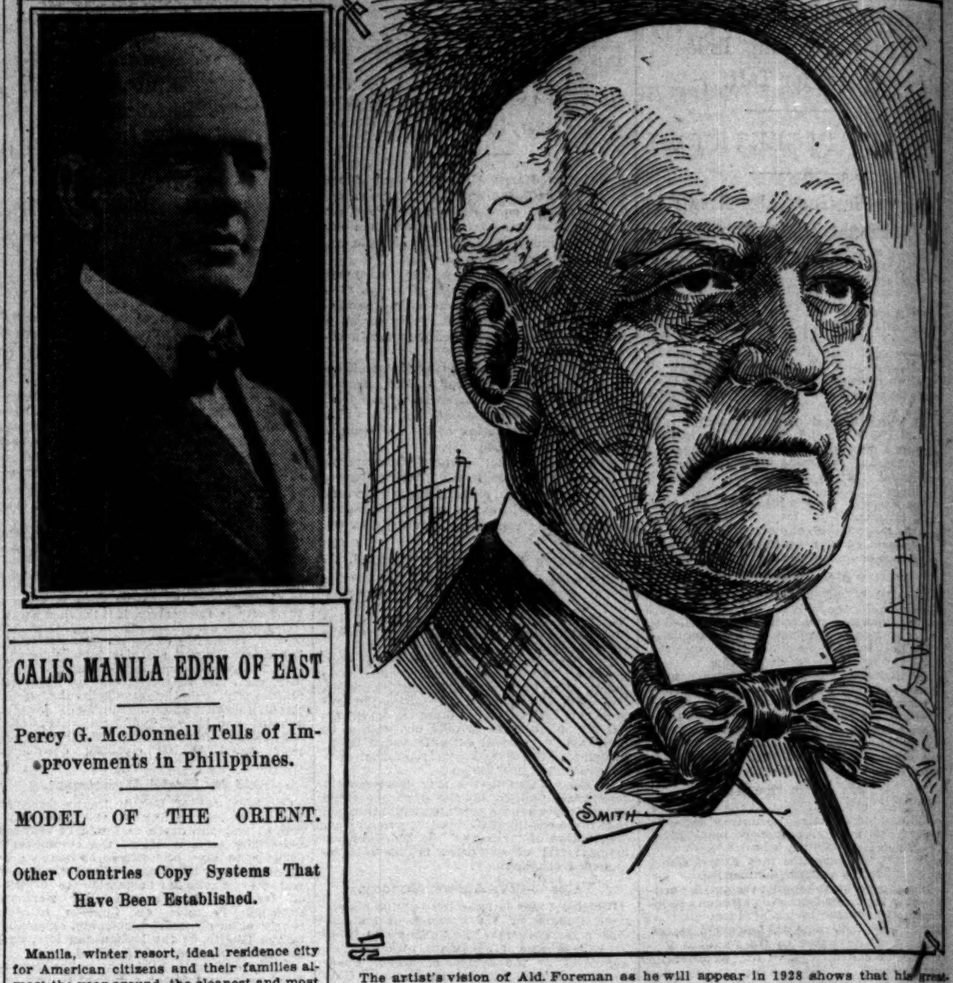
On the death of the seventh Lord Massereene of the Skeffington line without male issue the title passed to his daughter, married to Viscount Ferrard, and Lord Oriel, only son of John Foster, last speaker of the Irish house of commons. Lord Massereene sits in the house of lords not as Viscount Massereene or as Viscount Ferrard but as Lord Oriel, which alone of his honors is a peerage of the united kingdom, and among his interesting and most cherished treasures at Antrim castle, near Antrim, which is his principal country seat, are the speaker's chair and the mace of the last Irish parliament at Dublin, both of which his ancestor, John Foster, appropriated when called upon to pronounce the doom of the Irish house of commons after the passage of the union bill, of which he was one of the most determined and bitter opponents.

By the terms of his will the mace is held in trust by his heirs "until the body that intrusted it to my keeping—namely: the Irish parliament—should demand it again," which, of course, will not be before home rule is secured for Ireland. This does not prevent the present Lord Massereene from being one of the stanchest opponents of home rule, notwithstanding the fact that he is the great-grandson of John Foster, famed throughout Ireland as "the incorruptible."

Emperor William is looking forward with much satisfaction to his stay next month in Corfu, where no less than 600 cases of furniture, books, bric-à-brac, etc., have arrived from Berlin for the use of the imperial couple. Extensive changes have been made in the villa of Empress Elizabeth. Electric light has been installed everywhere, the stables have been transformed into a garage, artesian wells have been bored, a bathing establishment erected on the beach, and a house built in connection with the villa for the accommodation of the members of the imperial suite and of no less than sixty servants who will attend to the wants of the emperor and his family.

Twenty Years from Now—No. 20.

How will Ald. Milton J. Foreman look in 1928?



The artist's vision of Ald. Foreman as he will appear in 1928 shows that his greatest hope—the hope of 1908—has been blasted. The many automobile rides in which he has driven hatless through all the boulevards of Chicago in the interest of a sparce growth of shrubbery on the upper outskirts of his classic brow do not appear to have had their desired results. However, a glance at the satisfied appearance of the characteristic face indicates that few other hopes have met with a similar fate. Just what these hopes may be nobody can say but Ald. Foreman himself, and he is not talking. His friends, however, believe that the title "Mayor Foreman" or even "Gov. Foreman," would not be out of place before the passing of two decades.

CALLS MANILA EDEN OF EAST

Percy G. McDonnell Tells of Improvements in Philippines.

MODEL OF THE ORIENT.

Other Countries Copy Systems That Have Been Established.

Manila, winter resort, ideal residence city for American citizens and their families almost the year around, the cleanest and most sanitary city in the orient, are some of the boasts for the capital of the Philippine islands made by Percy G. McDonnell, a member of the Manila municipal board, who is visiting in Chicago.

"With our $2,000,000 sewer system nearing completion, a $1,750,000 up to date water system about ready for service, great harbor works and new wharves, good lighting, and modern street car system, first class streets, and excellent schools, Manila has forged to the front as the model city of the orient," said Mr. McDonnell. "Its sanitary record in the last few years proves conclusively that it is possible for Americans to live in the tropics, and to live healthfully.

"Manila, which used to be regarded as a plague spot, has had not more than a half dozen cases of bubonic plague or cholera in the last year, where both diseases used to flourish the greater portion of the time in the past. To such a degree of excellence have we attained in our sanitary regulations that representatives of Singapore, Shanghai, and Hongkong have recently visited Manila for the purpose of observing our methods, and also our police and fire organization that they might be introduced at home."

Studies American Cities.

Mr. McDonnell is in the United States on a visit after several years' absence in the Philippines, but is combining business with pleasure by visiting the principal American cities and observing their methods of handling municipal questions that Manila may have the advantage of others' experience at the proper time.

The city government of Manila is modeled something after that of the District of Columbia. There is a municipal board of five members, three of whom are appointed by the governor general with the consent of the Philippine commission, the other two are ex-officio members, one of them being the city engineer and the other a Filipino named by the advisory council, an organization of thirteen Filipinos, representing the thirteen districts of the city.

"This advisory council amounts to a school in government for the Filipinos," explained Mr. McDonnell. "Many of the Filipinos are natural politicians, and it is from this element that the greatest cry for independence arises. The conservative business element realizes that the presence of the United States government alone insures them peace and prosperity at home, and they are content to let the future take care of itself, to let the government, in which they have a large voice, work out the question of substantial development for the islands.

Ladrone Bands Are Gone.

"Peace exists throughout the archipelago. The ladrone bands have practically been wiped out, and it is possible to carry on trade or occupation in any part of the islands. Of course, there are robberies occasionally, particularly in Samar and Leyte, but these outbreaks are being reduced to a minimum, and are not unknown in more advanced countries.

"The conditions in the Philippine islands have vastly improved for Americans or others with capital seeking to engage in business there. Under the direction and with the able assistance of W. Cameron Forbes of Boston, secretary of commerce and police, a system of approximately 1,000 miles of railroad is under construction, and new and attractive fields are daily opened for the American investor and business man.

"The worst thing we have had to contend with is this persistent war scare. Rumors of coming hostilities between the United States and Japan have really a serious effect upon the business of the Philippines—a much more serious effect than would be imagined. It interrupts business and plays havoc generally with the development of the islands and discourages investors.

Praises the Judiciary.

"The judiciary, in which the Filipinos are in the majority, is one of the greatest achievements of our administration, and it is the more remarkable when one remembers that this is a government erected within half a generation. Much of this is due to the organizing power of Secretary Taft, and also of Henry C. Ide, secretary of finance and justice, and former governor general."

Mr. McDonnell will return to Manila in June. He left there with Secretary Taft, crossing Russia with the cabinet officer. Mr. McDonnell was for years the Manila correspondent and a war correspondent for the New York Sun, serving that paper throughout the Filipino insurrection and also during the Russo-Japanese war. His home is in San Francisco.

BARD OF AVON IN ECLIPSE.

Milwaukee Lutheran Clergy Calls "Merchant of Venice" Unchristianlike, Demoralizing, and Other Things.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—The immortality of William Shakspeare is more than threatened. The Lutheran clergy of Milwaukee has denounced his "Merchant of Venice" as against Christian principles, tending to demoralize the church, and without literary value.

The clergy scored the Walther league, composed of Lutheran young people, for daring to suggest its production as a benefit. It took three addresses by the Rev. Henry Sprengler, to say nothing of protests from five other Lutheran pastors, before the league decided to abandon the project.

Adolph G. Schwefel, president of the league, ventured to defend the bard of Avon and his play, bringing down a storm of bitter criticism from the ministers.

WOULD FIND "MEANEST MEN" WHO ROB COUNTY BUILDING.

President Busse of Board Discovers Thieves Strip Stfucture of Fixtures, and Says Arrests Will Follow.

"You might not think it, but some of the cheapest thieves in the town are to be found in the new county building," said President William Busse, of the county commissioners, yesterday. He also is custodian of the fine new building.

"What will you think," Mr. Busse continued, "when I tell you some low down persons have been stealing the nickel plated and brass fixtures from the wash rooms.

"Looks pretty cheap, eh? One of those nickel brackets might bring the price of two drinks. But to replace them, I must make a requisition through the sheriff's office, the superintendent of public service, and finally it is brought up before the county finance committee."

Mr. Busse said he would post some plain clothes men in the building.

Mr. Busse vigorously denied the scrub women might know where the missing articles went.

"No, sir," he said. "Judge Barnes left his gold watch on his desk the other day when he left the building. A scrub woman brought it to me next morning."

"WHAT IS A SAUSAGE?" SOLVED BY FEDERAL FOOD EXPERTS.

After Four Days' Conference Joint Committee Says "It" Is Comminuted Meat from "Cattle or Swine."

"What is a sausage?" was determined by United States food experts after a day's conference in the Auditorium Annex, and the joint committee on food standards finished its work yesterday.

After defining a sausage, according to the government's standard, the commission further holds:

"It (the sausage) contains no larger amount of water than the meats from which it is prepared, and if it bears a name descriptive of composition or origin, it corresponds to such descriptive name. All animal tissues used as containers, such as casings, stomachs, etc., are clean and sound."

"Blood sausage" is distinguished by the fresh blood from neat cattle or swine.

Canned, corned, or cured and potted meats are declared to be comminuted meat from neat cattle or swine, cooked, cured, smoked, or pickled.

Mince meat is declared to be "a mixture of not less than 10 per cent of cooked, comminuted meat, chopped suet, apple and other fruit, with salt, spices, sugar, syrup or molasses, vinegar, fresh concentrated or fermented fruit juices, and spirituous liquors."

MARION KERBY, LEADING WOMAN

Chicago Girl Entertainer, After Drawing Room Successes, Chosen to Head New Play.

New York, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Marion Kerby, the Chicago girl whose American dialect stories have made her a favorite drawing room entertainer in New York and London, has been engaged by Henry B. Harris as leading woman in a company to appear with Thomas W. Ross in "The Traveling Salesman," a new play of American life, by James Forbes, author of "The Chorus Lady."

In London Miss Kerby has appeared with unusual success in the homes of Lady Paget and the duchess of Sutherland, and when introduced to Newport society last summer by Mrs. James B. Haggin and Mrs. Ben Ali Haggin she more than equaled her triumphs abroad.

Miss Kerby last December gave a reading at the home of Mrs. Ben Ali Haggin, where Mr. Forbes was so impressed with her versatility that he brought the young woman to the notice of Mr. Harris, thinking she would be an ideal exponent of the leading feminine rôle in his new comedy. Mr. Harris, after hearing her recite, at once commended the author's selection.

"Although Miss Kerby has had no previous stage experience," said Mr. Harris, "I feel confident she will achieve success as an actress equal to that she enjoyed as an entertainer, for she possesses dramatic talent of a high order. Miss Kerby will make her début in Washington March 16, when "The Traveling Salesman" will be produced for the first time."

STIRS WHITE PUPILS' PARENTS

Transfer from Webster to Keith School Creates Storm.

RACE WAR'S RENEWAL NEAR

Board Committee Rebukes Principal Who Sought for Peace.

The summary transfer of thirty-five children, chiefly white Americans, from the Webster school to the Keith school, a building in which 80 per cent of the pupils are negroes, has started a flood of protests on the part of the parents of the transferred children.

The pupils' "race war" fights, which have made the black belt district a literal bête noir for the school authorities probably will be renewed. Mayor Busse and President Schneider of the school board have been appealed to for an annulment of certain of the transfers.

The transfers have just been made by the board of district superintendents, as its solution of a situation discovered several months ago, when it was learned the principals of the schools had allowed children to go from the Keith to the Webster school without the authority of the district superintendents.

For several years hundreds of applications have been made to Supt. Cooley, the mayor, aldermen, and local congressmen for permission for white children to leave the Keith school for another. In each case the parents were told that, because of the great number of applications, none of them could be granted.

Grilling for Principal.

Then it was learned Principal William Radebaugh of the Webster school had been allowing the desired transfers from time to time. Mr. Radebaugh was called before the school management committee and given an unpleasant time. The transfer of the thirty-five children back to the Keith school is the result.

Isaac L. Kreeger, 2974 State street, is one of the parents who have entered protests. He went to Mayor Busse with the matter yesterday and was referred to President Schneider of the school board, who in turn sent Mr. Kreeger to William C. Dodge, secretary of the board of district superintendents. Two of the Kreeger children, the father reports, have been sent to the Keith school, while two more are left at the Webster.

Mr. Dodge told Mr. Kreeger the rule could not be violated and the transfers must stand.

Wants to Open Trade Schools.

President Schneider announced in the afternoon that the finance committee probably will ask the city for an appropriation for three night trade schools, to be installed at the Lake, Crane, and Albert G. Lane High schools.

"These," said the president, "will be, if we get them, the first schools of their kind in the United States. They will be planned along the lines laid down at the trade school conference we had here a short time ago."

A counter project to that of the president was offered later in the afternoon by Resurrected Trustee Cornelia De Bey. Dr. De Bey wants a trade school established at the Chicago Normal school. President Schneider said he thought Dr. De Bey's plan a good one, but he did not know just when it could be put into effect.

The January salaries will be paid the teachers today, the schoolma'ams pay roll for the month amounting to $615,865.

DOG TAKES 1,500 MILE JAUNT.

Greyhound Finds His Way Back to Oakland, Cal., from Western Montana.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Animal instinct guided "Mooney," a valuable greyhound on a 1,500 mile journey from the western part of Montana back to his old home in Oakland. Footsore and weary the dog arrived today at the kennels of Michael Ryan, from which he was sold in December. It is not known how long "Mooney" was on the road. "If he loves his old home as much as this, I'll try to keep him," said Ryan.

Private Tunnel Ordinance Favored.

Ordinances renewing the right of James S. Kirk & Co. to operate a tunnel across North Water street, and the Barrett Manufacturing company to operate a switch track across Rees street, near Hooker street, were recommended by the committee on streets and alleys north yesterday, and sent to the compensation committee to adjust the rates.

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CITY HOME OF "UNGALLANT"

Shoppers' Wrath Alights Upon Their Critic, S. B. Mills.

LEAD ALL IN DISCOURTESY.

Mrs. Alice B. Young Says Chicago Men Hold One World's Record.

If S. B. Mills had had any idea of what he was doing when he told the Chicago real estate board on Wednesday that "women shoppers ought to be driven out of the downtown district before the stores close," it is a safe bet that he would not have done it.

Perhaps, though, it is just as well, for a considerable amount of useful knowledge has been added to the stock in trade of the male portion of Chicago's population. And if said male portion has, at any time in the past, been oppressed with any excessive ideas of its own virtues let it now be recorded that it just need not bother.

Mr. Mills' well meant if emphatically phrased suggestion called forth some comments yesterday from the ranks of the shoppers. They were of such a nature that the recent remarks of a certain French editor anent American women faded into insignificance beside them.

Excel World in Discourtesy.

Here, for example, are one or two of the things which an unfortunate reporter learned in the course of the afternoon:

The men of Chicago are uniformly more discourteous and ungallant than those of any other community in the world.

When a seat is given to a woman on a Chicago street car or train it is almost always by another woman.

The streets of Chicago are more unpleasant for an unattended woman than those of any other city.

The "dollar greed" of Chicago men is over everything. This, and not the presence of woman shoppers, explains the congestion of the downtown district and the lack of adequate transportation facilities.

All of which was called forth by Mr. Mills' proposal that women who spend the afternoon shopping be compelled—somehow—to go home before 5 p. m., in order that the laboring man and the working girl may have a chance at the street car seats.

"These lazy women," said Mr. Mills, "seem to think the whole car is theirs by divine right."

Man's Excuse for Laziness.

Mrs. Alice B. Young, 4228 Grand boulevard, was the most emphatic in her expression of opinion.

"I really am glad to have an opportunity to say something about this," she said. "I lived, some time ago, for three years in Paris, and for the same length of time in London. I have been more or less familiar also with New York and several other American cities, so you see I have something on which to base a comparison.

"This objection to the women shoppers is just a man's device to excuse the lack of courtesy of his sex. The women shoppers of the 'leisure class,' to whom this gentleman refers, aren't on the cars between 5 and 6 o'clock.

"The women shoppers who go home at this time are those of the poorer classes. They have to start back at about 5 o'clock to get dinner for their husbands. And they have a hard enough time getting there, too.

"Now, let me tell you a little of my experience. I am a woman who ought, I think, to command a little consideration on a public conveyance." (Mrs. Young is tall and stately, with a wealth of silver gray hair).

"But I have come to the conclusion that Chicago men are the most discourteous of any in the world.

"One day I was standing in a crowded car, on a lame ankle, when I suddenly became faint. I said, loud enough for several people to hear me, that I should have to sit down on the floor of the car. Then a seat was given me—by a woman.

"It isn't the women shoppers that crowd the cars. It's the dollar greed of Chicago men that crowds the downtown district into a narrow, confined space. If they would let us women vote, we would vote for the Paris regulation that marks a car 'complete' when it is full, and won't let any one else on. If the men won't let us vote—and I am no suffragist—they might at least let us have the seats we can't vote for."

"Such a proposal comes well from a man!" was the contribution of Mrs. Esther Falkenstein, head of the Falkenstein settlement. "Let a man try an afternoon of shopping—necessary shopping—once or twice and then see what he thinks of the plan!"

Tells Women to Be Humble.

Mrs. Catharine Waugh McCullough, the Evanston lawyer, was more terse, but her opinion was just as clear.

"I'd like to see them try such a regulation!" she said. "I suppose it would be done by city ordinance, wouldn't it, or some such manmade contrivance. The gentleman, I understand, says that the woman shopper seems to think the whole car is hers by divine right. Of course, she shouldn't think any such thing. Woman's rights, I am told, are what man, in his chivalrous generosity, deigns to give her."

DINNER FOR COUNT DI FRASSO.

Italian Nobleman Visiting Here Will Be Entertained Tonight at the Chicago Athletic Association.

Count Carlo Dentice di Frasso of San Vito di Normanni will be entertained at a dinner tonight at the Chicago Athletic association. The committee in charge of the dinner is composed of William Hale Thompson, P. M. Hanney, Joseph Leiter, John Farson, Elbridge Hanecy, Henry Siegel, Dr. J. B. Murphy, Edward D. Shurtleff, William Lorimer, James Hamilton Lewis, Ira Morris, P. H. O'Donnell, and Frank E. Bogle.

This is the first visit of Count di Frasso to Chicago. He made a tour of the city yesterday in an automobile. He is a son-in-law of Henry Siegel. For many years he has had a personal acquaintance with Braganza, the pretender to the Portuguese throne.

"The tragic death of King Carlos," said he yesterday, "was of course a shock to other European countries, but I believe it had no political significance beyond that, so far as Italy is concerned."

GIVE RECEPTION TO CONGRESS.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt Hosts to Lawmakers at the White House.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—President and Mrs. Roosevelt held their third state reception of the official season complimentary to members of congress.

This is the most democratic reception of the list, and a large crowd of guests assembled at the White house to greet the chief executive and Mrs. Roosevelt, who as usual were assisted in receiving by the women of the cabinet circle.

The vice president and Mrs. Fairbanks are always included in the presidential cortége. This descends from the second story of the mansion and, filing downstairs through the inner corridor, passes through the line of guests drawn up on either side in the blue room, and there takes its stand in a bay window of the room. The women fell in line with President and Mrs. Roosevelt and the officers of the cabinet were directly behind them.

As usual Vice President Fairbanks was on hand, and invited as special guests in the blue room were Speaker Cannon, his daughter, Miss Cannon, Senator and Mrs. Knox, Senator and Mrs. Foraker, and Senator and Mrs. La Follette, in other words all the presidential candidates and women of their families, with the exception, of course, of Secretary and Mrs. Taft, who have not been seen at any entertainment at the White house this winter on account of the death of the secretary's mother.

Challenges Servant to Kitchen Contest

MRS. M. J. FOSTER.

Mrs. M. J. Foster of Boone, Ia., challenged Hannah Olson, a domestic, to a week's contest in housework, following a dispute between Miss Olson and a prospective employer over the wages to be paid. Mrs. Foster asserts no girl is worth $6 a week and offers to work side by side with Miss Olson to demonstrate how little the girl knows.

Miss Olson has not replied to the challenge.

IN THE WORLD OF SOCIETY

Musical to Aid Maud Ballington Booth's Prison Work.

LILLIAN BLAUVELT TO SING.

Dinners to Precede Benefit for The Tribune Lodging House.

The last of the series of morning musicals which was arranged for the benefit of the Maud Ballington Booth prison work will be given on Monday next in Congress hotel ballroom. Mme. Lillian Blauvelt, the prima donna; Albert Rosenthal, a young cellist who has made quite a sensation in New York this winter; and Mr. Ernest Hutcheson, pianist, will give an interesting and varied program.

Mme. Blauvelt has selected a Handel aria from "Rodelinda," Horn's "Cherry Ripe," the Delibes "Pourquoi," Strauss' "Voca di Primavera," with a closing group, including "When Celia Sings," the Liza Lehmann "Spinning Song," and two of Kate Vannah's exquisite bits—the "Hushing Song" and "The Breeze That Blows the Barley."

Mr. Hutcheson's program will cover the Schubert "Moment Musical," the "Marche Militaire" of Schubert-Taussig composition, the Chopin-Liszt "Chant Polonaise," the Paganini-Liszt "La Campanella," and selections from Schumann and Rachmaninoff. Mr. Rosenthal will give the Popper Hungarian Rhapsodie and selections from Bach, Boccherini, Tschaikowsky, and Davidow.

Mrs. Chauncey J. Blair, who has been living abroad for three or four years, with only an occasional visit to Chicago, is in the city for a visit of a fortnight. She reached New York last week, where Mr. Blair had gone to meet her, and they came on to Chicago a day or two ago. Their house in Drexel boulevard has been closed during the long absence of its mistress, and Mr. Blair, since his return to Chicago, has had a suite at the Annex, where they now are staying. Mrs. Blair originally went to Europe because of the delicate health of the younger daughter of the household, Miss Mildrde Blair, who is now almost fully recovered. A number of dinners and luncheons are being planned in Mrs. Blair's honor.

A group of dinners will precede the benefit for The Tribune lodging house, which is to be given by the San Carlo opera stars at the Auditorium this evening. Most of the boxes have been taken, and the box guests will be dinner guests of their hosts and hostesses before the entertainment. Among the boxholders for the evening are Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick, Mrs. Medill McCormick, Mrs. Bryan Lathrop, H. H. Porter, Ira Nelson Morris, Edwin F. Meyer, Joseph Theurer, Edwin A. Potter, Julius Rosenwald, E. G. Foreman, Adam Ortseifen, Charles H. Wacker, Harold F. McCormick, Levy Mayer, Bernard A. Eckhart, Joseph Sears, Rudolph Brand, Charles J. Vopicka, Samuel Insull, Mrs. J. J. Borland, Mrs. O. W. Potter, and Oscar G. Foreman.

Mrs. Henry J. Patten, 1028 Greenwood boulevard, Evanston, gave a pretty buffet luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Emmeline Spry, whose betrothal was a recent announcement, and Miss Helen Hazlehurst, a debutante of the season. The house was decorated with ferns and pink roses. The young women assisting were Miss Marion Forgan, Miss Elizabeth Eddy, Miss Katherine Keyes, Miss Bessie Boynton, Miss Margaret Ridlon, Miss Marjorie Kimball, Miss Editha Hardy, Miss Christobel Ward, Miss Olive Cook, Miss Mary Wilson, Miss Katherine Hoge, Miss Anna Boyd of Philadelphia, and Miss Annye Wilson of Pittsburg.

Mrs. Marshall Field gave a dinner last night in honor of Mrs. Marshall Field Jr., later taking her guests to the opera. Mr. and Mrs. Honoré Palmer also were dinner host and hostess last night, the guest of honor being Mrs. George Brown of Baltimore, Mrs. Palmer's mother.

Mrs. Watson Blair expects to leave for Washington on Feb. 17.

Mrs. Caroline Painter, 5006 Madison avenue, has gone to Florida to join the other members of the family. They will remain until the first of May.

Miss Dorothy Potter, 1760 Wrightwood avenue, will leave on Monday to attend a house party in Minneapolis.

Miss Ethel Adams of Brooklyn will arrive in the city on Feb. 11 to be the guest of Miss Marjory Robbins of 167 Rush street.

Miss Lucile K. Wallace of New York City, formerly of Chicago, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. H. D. James of La Grange. A number of social affairs will be given in honor of Miss Wallace during her stay in Chicago.

Mrs. George G. Fortier of 409 Superior street announces the marriage of her daughter, Edith, to Frank Robert Colbert on Tuesday, Jan. 28, at St. Mark's church, Denver. Mr. and Mrs. Colbert will live in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Hoexter are now at 5218 Prairie avenue, and will be pleased to see their friends.

The Chicago College association will give a tea this afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock in its rooms, 812 Fine Arts building. Mrs. S. C. Stanton, president of the Chicago Vassar association, will preside.

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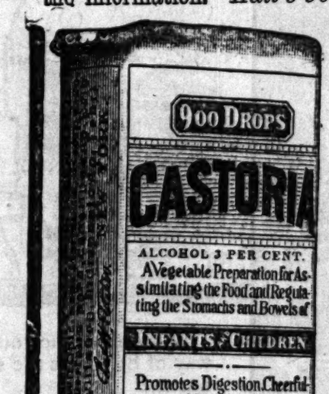

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Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."

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FIREBRAND TALK ENLIVENS HOUSE.

Clayton of Alabama Says There Are Reactionaries and "White House Cuckoos."

POKES FUN AT LEADERS.

Styles Fairbanks Walking Advertisement for Refrigerator and Cocktails.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Representative Clayton of Alabama in the house today spoke on the president's recent special message and held up the republicans as being divided into two factions—" the reactionaries and the White house cuckoos." The message, he charged, was an indictment against the republican party.

" It is a complaint from beginning to end of your failure and of your dereliction, of your incompetency, of your lack of patriotism and manhood to rise and meet the legislative demands of the country," he continued.

When the democratic applause which this utterance evoked had subsided, Mr. Clayton threw another fire brand when he charged that " the president not only indicts you, but he furnishes the proof to convict you."

He poked fun at Mr. Payne by referring to him as " the distinguished leader of excessive adiposity," and said that when the message was read " he [Mr. Payne] looked as if he had swallowed the funeral procession and hearse and the plumes, which were hanging out of his mouth."

Praises Boutell for Courage.

The democrats had not, Mr. Clayton said, heard any protest against the use of the " big stick," which was being wielded over the heads of the republicans, " except the feeble utterance " of Mr. Boutell of Illinois, who had the courage to stand up and champion the cause of " Uncle Joe " Cannon. Applause greeted that remark, but Mr. Clayton declared that the applause was only perfunctory.

" So," he said, addressing the republicans, " you White house cuckoos and you reactionaries—the two hostile camps into which you are divided—there is not one of you, except Mr. Boutell with nerve enough to declare for anybody."

He created a storm of applause when he said he had heard no one in the house declare for Vice President Fairbanks, to whom he referred as " that walking advertisement for a refrigerator, to say nothing of cocktails."

Mr. Clayton mentioned other avowed presidential candidates. Of Senator Foraker Mr. Clayton spoke as " that great man, that champion of what he believes to be right, whether you or I subscribe to it or not; that man of nerve and conscience," who he said was at war " with the great Me-too-candidate of the White House," referring to Secretary Taft.

The republicans, he declared, did not like President Roosevelt nor his policies. The president at one time believed in tariff revision but, " he is now a pro tempore standpatter."

Culberson Hits Treasury Action.

A financial speech by Senator Culberson of Texas and the passage of a bill providing for a government exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition were the chief features of interest in the proceedings of the senate.

Mr. Culberson gave the results of his analysis of the recent report of the secretary of the treasury on the Panama canal bond issue in order to substantiate his contention that national banks of New York City were unduly favored by the secretary in the disposition of public funds, and had violated the law by issuing those bonds.

" Every statement made by the senator," said Senator Hopkins, " has been answered by the secretary of the treasury, and if any one will take the trouble to read that report he will find there a complete answer to all that has here been charged. Instead of the secretary showing favoritism to New York or other banks he has been actuated by patriotic principles, and he made the deposits in New York, Chicago, or other banks because they were located where the emergency existed."

WAG POSTPONES HOUSE CAUCUS

Corn Fed Humorist Starts Story That Cannon Boomers Sought to Break Up President's Reception.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—A report circulated in the house today by a corn fed humorist that the republican caucus was set for tonight by leaders interested in the Cannon boom in an effort to break up the president's reception to congress at the White house, resulted in the postponement of the caucus until tomorrow. The meeting tonight was called to ratify selections of various state delegations and members of the congressional campaign committee.

It became known to the republican leaders today, so one of them said, that a sensational story was to have been sprung tomorrow in the form of a narrative, that while the president was receiving at the White house in honor of congress tonight, the republicans of the house had gone into ecstasies over a speech in which Joseph G. Cannon had again been nominated for the presidency. It was therefore decided at a late hour to kick the foundations from under the yarn by postponing the caucus.

It has already been decided by the republican management of the house that there shall be no change in the official personnel of the congressional campaign committee. Representative James S. Sherman of Utica, N. Y., will succeed himself as chairman, Representative James A. Tawney of Minnesota will be reelected vice chairman, while Representative H. C. Loudenslager of New Jersey and William McKinley of Illinois will be continued in the offices of secretary and treasurer respectively.

EVANSTON'S AIR IS DECLARED SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

Iowa Man Writes That He Has Been Saved Twice from the Effects of Tuberculosis of the Lungs.

W. W. Hall of Hedrick, Ia., has given personal testimony to the value of Chicago's climate as a cure for consumption. He says he has had consumption twice and twice he has recovered through life on the lake front in classic Evanston.

" Physicians of Chicago have been making frequent statements of recent years to the effect that the vicinity of that city is favorable for the prevention and cure of pulmonary complaints," says Mr. Hall in a letter to THE TRIBUNE. " I have known the fact from actual experience in two instances.

" In 1878 I had a physical breakdown, was attended by three physicians, who said my case was initial consumption. I moved to Evanston. I was outdoors much, especially on the bank of the lake. My health began to improve immediately and within a year I was as strong as ever.

" In 1890 I suffered from a severe attack of pneumonia, which affected both lungs. I was told professionally that I would die of consumption within a year. I moved again to Evanston and entered into a business that allowed me to be outdoors much of the time. At the end of three years I ceased to feel the effects of my complaint and am free of it now.

" My firm belief is that one having symptoms of the disease, not delaying too long, who will live near the lake, be much outdoors, dress warmly, breathe the pure air from the lake deeply, can find no better place for speedy recovery. I write this, hoping it may be of benefit to humanity."

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RECKONING NEAR; ROADS DEFIANT.

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sitions were made to prohibit any railroad from engaging in the ownership or operation of coal mines and similar enterprises along its own lines. The interstate commerce commission at that time began to develop testimony to show that the big coal carrying railroads absolutely controlled the price at the mines and at the seaboards, not only because they had the only transportation lines but because they owned the vast coal properties. It was clearly shown to the satisfaction of congress that no independent coal company in the anthracite regions, and but a few independent collieries in the soft coal sections, could live for a minute except by the grace of the railroad company. They were compelled to sell their coal at the rates fixed by the railroads because otherwise the mines owned by the railroads would get all the cars and of course all the business.

First Plan Held Invalid.

When the senate came to grapple with this problem it was at first proposed to prohibit any railroad engaged in interstate commerce from owning or operating any mine or other industrial enterprise along its own line. Senators Elkins, Clay, McCumber, and others offered amendments to the rate law prohibiting any common carrier engaging in the production or selling of coal or any other commodities in competition with any shipper or producer on its own line. The lawyers in the senate attacked this proposition on the ground that it was clearly unconstitutional. They said the courts would hold that the railroad could not be prohibited from owning any kind of property and that it would be confiscation to force the railroad to sell.

It was finally decided that the law should be so worded as to prohibit the common carrier engaged in interstate commerce from transporting its own commodities. The law does not prohibit ownership, either directly or indirectly. The transportation is the offense. As a mine is not usually much good unless its product can be shipped elsewhere the result would naturally be to force the railroad companies to go out of all sorts of industrial enterprises. After May 1 it becomes unlawful for a railroad company to own the wheat it carries over its own line quite as much as the coal, iron, salt, or other commodities in which the transportation company may have an interest.

Prosecution Means Coal Famine.

Under the new law the railroads are prohibited from transporting commodities which it may own in whole or in part or in which it has any interest, direct or indirect. The investigations carried on by the interstate commerce commission showed that practically all of the tide water railroads were interested in mines. In some cases they owned the mines outright. In other cases they owned and still own stock in the mining companies. Practically all the collieries are either controlled or owned directly or indirectly by the coal carrying roads.

The lumber railroads are exempt from the provision of this act, but railroads which are developing their own quarries and marketing the products, the lines which have secured as side issues salt mines, iron mines, and similar investments are all liable to punishment. The railroad which goes into manufacturing, which is interested in a steel mill, doing general business, or which is mixed up with cotton or grain business, is likely to get into trouble after May 1.

The situation is really an extremely serious one. The only way apparently in which the eastern and many western roads can escape penalties is to stop shipping coal and other commodities. That, of course, would create an instant famine in the country and is not to be thought of. Congress can by a joint resolution, approved by the president, extend the time so as to give the railroads a chance to obey the law. They have had plenty of time already, of course, but have taken no steps in this direction, because they believed that the threat of a coal famine would be sufficient to prevent prosecution.

AUDIT SYSTEM TOSSED OUT; "GOLD BRICK," SAYS LANDIS.

Government to Keep All Good Features of Cost Ascertaining Method in Public Printing Office.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Concurring in the recommendation of Acting Public Printer Rossiter, the president today canceled the contract of the government with the Audit System and ordered its ejection from the government printing office at the end of six days. The Audit System is the name of the cost ascertaining method installed a year ago by Public Printer Stillings.

Under its operation the government has paid $120,000 to calculate the cost of government printing and binding. Representative Landis of Indiana, chairman of the joint committee investigating the printing office, says the system " is a gold brick thinly plated with the genuine stuff."

" We have paid for this brick," said Mr. Landis, " and before we throw it out we are going to extract and retain the modicum of value with which it is gilded. I mean that you can't run the government printing office with all its departments and its 4,500 employes without using some method of cost ascertainment. So if there are any good features in the system we are going to keep them."

ROOSEVELT PRAISES PROJECT.

Expresses Sympathy with Plan to Erect Monument to Confederate Dead at Arlington.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—In expressing regret at being unable to attend a lecture on " Castles in the Air," to be delivered here by Senator Taylor of Tennessee for the benefit of the monument to be erected to the confederate dead at Arlington, President Roosevelt today heartily indorsed the movement for the monument.

His approval was expressed to a committee headed by former Secretary of the Navy Hilary A. Herbert and former Senator Faulkner of West Virginia, representing the Arlington Confederate Monument association.

The president in his letter referred to his southern relatives who fought for the confederacy. He also expressed deep interest and reverence for the tributes erected to the heroes at Vicksburg, expressing his sympathy for the success of the endeavor.

CHICAGO GETS CANNERS' MEET.

Lake City Wins Over Competitors at Cincinnati—Association Goes In for Arbitration.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 6.—Next year's convention of the National Canners' association will be held in Chicago, that city winning from several competitors today. A huge canned goods exhibition will be held in connection with the convention, in the Coliseum.

Charles S. Crary of Hoopeston, Ill., was elected president. The convention adopted the report of the arbitration committee, providing that disputes be settled by an arbitration board, the loser to pay the cost of the arbitration.

C. H. Bentley, president of the California Fruit Canners' association, made an address favoring tariff revision. He said it was time for the tariff " stand patters " to " patter along " toward tariff revision. Lower tariffs on tin and sugar would enable the American canner, he said, to meet European competition.

Woman Slays Her Children.

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens today killed her little daughter and son, cutting their throats with a razor. When arrested, Mrs. Stevens, it is said, declared she thought it was for the best that the children should die. Mrs. Stevens was at one time in the asylum for the insane at Danvers. She is 40 years old. The children were Mary, aged 10, and George, aged 2 years.

Dayton, O., through sleeper leaves Dearborn Station, Chicago, 11:30 p. m., Monon Route, C., H. & D. Ry.

IMPURE WATER AT SCHOOL FOR BLIND

Change in Method of Getting the Supply at Jacksonville Demanded.

NO BIDS FOR MATERIAL.

Committee Finds Purchases at Asylum Are Made in Irregular Manner.

Jacksonville, Ill., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Representatives Manny and Ireland today finished their investigation of conditions at the Central Hospital for the Insane and the school for the blind. While the testimony was kept secret, it is declared that some sensational developments were brought out.

Chief among the recommendations for reform which they will place before the legislature will be the method of obtaining the water supply at the school for the blind. The present supply is obtained from a big well on the banks of the Mauvaisterre creek. Just above the well is a cemetery, and above that is the sewer of the Jacksonville Packing house, which stands on an elevation not 200 feet away from the well.

The committee also has found flagrant violations in the method of purchasing supplies for the institution. Especially is this true of the foodstuffs. There are no advertisements for bids except in the case of coal, and in the latter case the price paid is excessive.

Visit the Insane Asylum.

The committee made a personal investigation at the insane asylum. They found the institution overcrowded and also uncovered some track of hasty improvements of conditions. There had evidently been a great deal of painting done recently. The investigators looked for exposed radiators and hot water pipes and found a few instances where radiators were not covered.

The institution record shows a large number of accidents, but in view of the large number of epileptic patients this fact is not significant until the accident record has been more minutely examined. One patient only was found under restraint in the violent ward, but another patient required the constant attention of a guard.

In the woman's ward was found a patient with both feet burned. She had been brought to the hospital from Bloomington on Tuesday. Dr. Crouch, the staff physician, stated that the woman reached the hospital in the condition she found. She could give no intelligent account of how she was burned, but those who brought her said she had lost sensation in her feet and had exposed them while holding them against a steam radiator in a private hospital from which she came.

Examine an Undertaker.

There have been cases at the hospital where patients have fallen against radiators and been severely burned, but not recently. An epileptic in one case fell against a steam radiator and was not discovered for some time. When picked up his flesh had been burned so that there was a deep line across the side of the head, exposing the skull.

One of the witnesses examined was Miss Layman, a cook in the woman's annex. She was questioned closely concerning the materials used in preparing food for the patients, it having been alleged that too great quantities of alum were used in baking the bread at the institution.

The committee also called as a witness Undertaker Coard, who has had charge of some of the embalming at the asylum. He was questioned as to the condition of the bodies as he found them. It is understood that he gave some sensational testimony, but nothing he said was allowed to become public.

Fire Danger at School.

As a result of their investigation of conditions at the school for the blind the legislators had only one fault which they commented upon publicly. They objected to the three story dormitories and thought the sleeping rooms should be on the first floor.

The bedbug pest has been giving some trouble at the school and the committee indicated there would probably be some " house cleaning " recommended here.

Dr. G. W. Jones, the superintendent of the school, was commended by the committee for the fight he recently made against the diphtheria epidemic, stopping the disease without allowing it to cause a single death.

EXPOSURE KILLS INSANE MAN.

Former Minister, Escaping Nebraska Asylum Guards, Throws Himself Into Creek, Causing Death.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 6.—Dr. Carl Hulhorst, a former minister of the Presbyterian faith, who was expelled from the church on the ground that he preached heresies, died this evening at the state hospital for the insane as a result of exposure and injuries sustained some hours earlier when he attempted to drown himself in a creek near the asylum.

Dr. Hullhorst, who voluntarily entered the asylum ten days ago, was allowed to take walks over the country surrounding the institution. Today, accompanied by an attendant and one or two other patients, he started for a stroll.

They went near the creek, and Dr. Hullhorst, before he could be restrained, plunged into the stream. The water was only three feet deep, and those accompanying him dragged him out, but he broke away and again threw himself into the water.

This was repeated two or three times until he was exhausted, when he was carried to the hospital, but he died four hours after.

MAYOR IS IN CLUTCH OF GRIP.

Busse Consents to Remain Home When Warned by Health Commissioner Evans.

Mayor Busse, after fighting off an attack of grip for several days, gave up yesterday and consented to remain at his residence, 801 Sedgwick street, until he was out of danger.

Dr. W. A. Evans, commissioner of health, told the mayor if he did not remain indoors for a day or two he would not be responsible for the consequences.

Many of Mayor Busse's friends believe his illness is attended by complications resulting from injuries in a railroad wreck in Pennsylvania shortly after his nomination for mayor last year.

RUINED BANKER MAKES SALE

August Saehn Disposes of His Building in Evanston Avenue.

BUYS A HOUSE OF WORSHIP.

French Evangelical M. E. Church of Chicago Is Purchaser.

August Saehn, whose bank in Evanston avenue, south of Bryn Mawr avenue, was ruined by the peculations of his adopted son, has sold the building, fixtures, and vaults, together with the ground on which it is located, to Oliver F. Paisley, for $18,000. The property is 125 feet south of Bryn Mawr avenue, west front.

Sale by Former Commissioner.

Former Building Commissioner Peter Bärtzen has sold to Frederick W. Schmidt the property at the northwest corner of Western avenue and Winona street for $16,000, subject to an incumbrance of $6,500.

The French Evangelical Methodist Episcopal church of Chicago has purchased from the synod of Chicago the one story stone and brick church at the southwest corner of Langley avenue and Thirty-seventh street for $10,000. The property formerly was known as St. John's Reformed Episcopal church. The purchasing congregation plans to expend $5,000 in improving the building.

William T. J. Plummer has conveyed to the Chicago Title and Trust company in trust a tract of 426x155 feet, comprising thirty-one lots at the northeast corner of Lawrence and California avenues, for $10,000.

Places Cloud Upon Title.

A conveyance of a dower interest by Mrs. Lorena Hollenback of St. Louis to J. Scott Mathews, an attorney of this city, placed a cloud upon the title of 640 acres between Eighty-seventh, Ninety-fifth, and Halsted streets. Part of the land is occupied by the Pullman company. Litigation arising from a judgment sale of the property a number of years ago has been in progress for three or four years and still is pending. It is claimed that when the heirs of Clark Hollenback, the original owner, conveyed their interests to an attorney named Long, Mrs. Lorena Hollenback, the widow of John Hollenback, a son of Clark, did not sign the deed. It also is said adverse possession may be proved against all but 160 acres of the property.

Cornelia G. Harlan has sold to Henry F. Meyer, the property in Washington boulevard, 32 feet east of Wood street, 132 feet front, with brick improvements, for $15,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

LAKE VIEW.

Barry-av., 216 s of Ashland, w f, 25x124. Feb. 3 [C. Wetteroth to Clara Feld]..... 5,000
Diversey-ct., 118 n of Schubert-av., w f, 25x124, incumb. $4,500, Jan. 20 [James Garner to Wm. H. Bryan]..... 10,000
Evanston-av., 125 s of Bryn Mawr, w f, 37½x150, and bldg. fix., vaults, etc., Jan. 21 [August Saehn to Oliver F. Paisley]..... 18,000
Lincoln-av., 200 n w cor Sunnyside, e f, 25x125, incumb. $2,500, Feb. 1 [Saml. Brown Jr. to August M. Stenberg]..... 4,494
Norwood-pk., 47 e of Southport, s f, 50x122, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 5 [John W. Sturdivant to Elizabeth M. Kruse]..... 4,800
Oakdale-av., 83 e of Pine Grove, s f, 31½x148, Jan. 16 [Mrs. Alice T. Heywood to Chas. G. Heywood]..... 1
Same to same, Jan. 16 [C. G. Heywood to Alexander M. Ross Jr.]..... 2,902
Sheffield-av., 57 n of Newport-av., w f, 26x125, Jan. 17 [Sarah Dahnweg to Edwd. and Minnie Van Herik]..... 2,100
Wrightwood-av., 399 e of Orchard-st., n f, 34 9-10x190, incumb. $6,000, Feb. 5 [Peter Swanson to Louis Bakl]..... 10,800

JEFFERSON.

Irving Park-av., s w cor. Central Park, n f, 60x105, Feb. 4 [Herman Huhncke to Ira M. Cobe]..... 8,000
Lawndale-av., 76 s of Costello, e f, 82x100, incumb. $1,300, Dec. 12, 1907 [C. M. Parson to Emma Vetter]..... 2,975
Lawrence-av., n e cor California, s f, 66x166 and o. p., Jan. 21 [Wm. T. J. Plummer to C. & T. Co., in trust]..... 10,000
Milwaukee-av., n e cor Dawson, s e f, 50x125, Jan. 2 [G. Kohn to Helena Marwig]..... 4,000
Western-av., s w cor. Winona-st., s f, 100x128, incumb. $6,500, Nov. 28, 1907 [Peter Bartzen to Fredk. W. Schmidt]..... 16,000

NORTH TOWN.

Wells-st., 200 n of Goethe, w f, 25x182, incumb. $4,500, Feb. 1 [F. C. Voss to Samuel Brown]..... 6,250

SOUTH TOWN.

Archer-av., 25 s of Stark, s e f, 50x100, m. or l., July 12, 1907 [John McGinty to Anna S. Rala]..... 2
Douglas-pl., 100 s of Rhodes-av., n f, 25x126, incumb. $2,500, Feb. 8 [F. H. Bartlett to Abraham Goldmann]..... 3,500
52 E. Lake-st., 22.8x160 and improvements, Feb. 1 [Chas. S. Erwin to John M. Kranz]..... 75,000
55 E. Lake-st., 22.8x160, and improvements, Feb. 1 [Robt. S. Ingalls to John M. Kranz] 53 and 55 E. Lake-st., 45.6x160, Feb. 1, five years at $ per cent [trust deed by John M. Kranz to C. T. and T. Co., trustee]..... 75,000
Langley-av., s w cor 37th-st., e f, 66x98, Jan. 21 [Synod of Chicago to French Evangelical M. E. church of Chicago]..... 10,600
35th-st., n e cor Charlton, e f, 50x125, Nov. 18, 1907 [H. F. Chappell to Wm. Kohn]..... 2,512
Wentworth-av., 325 s of 29th-st., w f, 25x120, Jan. 21 [Albert A. Brand to Albert A. Weaver]..... 3,000
Same prty., Jan. 21 [A. A. Weaver to Murray Wolbach]..... 3,000

CALUMET.

112th-st., 225 w of Wentworth-av., n f, 25x124½, Jan. 15 [E. S. Shirran to Carl A. Carlson Jr.]..... 1,200

HYDE PARK.

Kimbark-av., 460 n of 58th-st., e f, 40x175, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 5 [J. F. Hogue to Richard A. Hunt]..... 2,000
78th-st., 33 e of Railroad-av., s f, 33 1-3x120, Feb. 1 [Herman L. Hecker to Ursula L. Withington]..... 3,000
Vincennes-av., 90 s of 49th-st., w f, 100x148, Feb. 1 [Frank H. Bernritter quitclaims to Henry Bernritter]..... 1

LAKE.

Aberdeen-st., 241 s of 52d, e f, 50x124½, July 19, 1907 [Wm. S. Elliott to E. S. Elliott]..... 1
Same prty., July 19, 1907 [E. S. Elliott to Alinda C. Elliott]..... 1
Ashland-av., 142 n of 43d-st., w f, 49x120, Jan. 20 [F. W. Proudfoot to John S. Gibons]..... 5,800
Grove-av., 281 s of Garfield-blvd., e f, 26x90, Feb. 4 [F. T. Wind to Abraham L. Jones]..... 2,500
Morgan-st., 148 n of 65th, w f, 50x124, Jan. 28 [est. A. H. Green to August Newgran]..... 1,600
Normal-av., 50 s of 78th-st., e f, 25x85, Nov. 5, 1906 [B. Chandler to Martha V. Cottle]..... 4,000
Paulina-st., 127 s of 68th, w f, 25x125, Jan. 30 [H. Phipps to Dora E. Murphy]..... 2,250
Princeton-av., 231 n of 74th-st, w f, 26x124½, incumb. $4,000, Feb. 4 [Lars J. R. Larson to Henry Rudmann]..... 1
Rockwell-st., 49 n of 65th, e f, 40x126, date omitted [John Tenney to John A. Tenney]..... 10
Sangamon-st., 162 n of 57th, w f, 89 1-8x124, Jan. 17 [J. Walker to John A. Olson]..... 1,500
60th-pl., 262 w of Hamlin-av., s f, 50x124, Jan. 27 [J. H. Doyle to Philipp Michels]..... 340
Vincennes-av., s e cor 70th-pl., w f, 100x125 and o. p., Jan. 21 [F. J. Whitlock to Harry B. Dulaney]..... 5,688
Wood-st., 216 s of 56d, e f, 25x125, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 5 [Fred W. Boade to Eddie C. Mackey]..... 1,750

WEST TOWN.

Campbell-av., 241 s of North, w f, 25x126, incumb. $1,000, Dec. 11, 1907 [C. G. Howell to Minna Kleinau]..... 3,200
Clifton Park-av., 125 n of 23d-st., e f, 25x125, incumb. $2,500, Feb. 3 [J. A. Holpuch to Benjamin J. Glaser]..... 4,200
573 W. Erie-st., 21x121½, Nov. 18, 1907 [C. Boles to Patrick J. Healy]..... 1

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Judgments.

Judge McSurely—14636—Barco vs. H. Piano Co.; judgt. on verdt. for $700—254033—Joseph Soldan, etc., vs. C. C. Ry. Co. et al.; judgt. on verdt. for $250—254009—Amy D. Mack vs. New Home Sewing Mch. Co.; judgt. on fdg. for $106, and satisfied.

Judge Smith—256266—Ragenau, etc., vs. L. S. and S. Ry. Co.; judgt. on verdt. for $600, and satisfied.

Judge Clifford—257248—Velma H. Moll vs. New Home Sewing Mch. Co.; judgt. on fdg. for $106, and satisfied.

Judge Philbrick—239170—Mary A. Thompson vs. City of Chicago; judgt. on verdt. for $900.

Judge Ames—254166—McKenna vs. Campbell; judgt. on fdg. for $80 and defdt ex mo. p. f. and in arrest of judgt. denied; appl. bond of $200 is thirty days; bill for ex. in forty days.

Decrees.

Judge Barnes—200228—Wright vs. Danoyer; dec. of sale.—9710—Christenson vs. Christenson; dec. div.

Judge Ball—264020—Sorenson vs. Sorenson; dec. div.—262252—Trotter vs. Dobson et al.; dec. final.

Judge Chytraus—264896—Armstrong vs. Armstrong; dec. div.

Judge Tuthill—253207—Petition Bohl and wife; dec. of adoption.

Judge Carpenter—L. R. 2311, Appl. Reeder; dec. —27628—McClintock, etc., vs. Shannon et al.; dec. —282009—Reeve vs. Johnson et al.; dec. of sale.—270362—Newton vs. Whitman; dec. of sale.—282061—Roche vs. Roche; dec. div.

Judge Walker—270250—Larabus et al. vs. Martin et al.; dec.—270970—Shields vs. Shields et al.; dec.—282170—Matthews et al. vs. Vance et al.; dec. div.

Court Calls for Today.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Ball—9:30 a. m., chancery motions of course.

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CASH SITUATION IMPROVES.

Coarse Grains Score Moderate Gains; Hog Products Again Weak.

The wheat market yesterday was a nervous affair, with prices ranging ¾c lower to ¾o higher than the previous close, with the cent range practically covered several times, as a result of the repeated change of front on the part of the local professionals, who had the trade much to themselves. Sentiment was decidedly mixed and the crowd was ready to jump in either direction on the appearance of any substantial orders. Around 97c for the May seemed to be the fighting ground, and all sales under that figure were absorbed with surprising ease. It was estimated that 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 bu of wheat were thrown on the market at the start, which was taken in by commission houses in general, with prices advancing as soon as the selling was over. After backing and filling all day final prices showed unchanged to ⅝c lower, the extreme decline being in the September. May was unchanged and July ½@¾c off compared to the previous close.

Northwest Movement Is Large.

Continued heavy receipts in the northwest —236 cars, against 197 cars a year ago; lower cables from Liverpool, which was decidedly weak, and the expectation of heavy shipments from the Argentine were the dominant factors in the market early, and selling at the outset was general, with poor support. Prices were advanced almost entirely on short covering, the selling being overdone from time to time, but there was a noticeable element of strength in the quiet but persistent buying by several of the larger commission houses. Receipts at western points were again much in excess of last year and continue to be a thorn in the flesh of the bulls, but southwestern arrivals were slightly less than last year and the movement northwest will soon compare with the heavy receipts last year. Continental markets were irregular, but generally lower, Budapest being the exception with an advance of ¾c. Liverpool was 1½@1¾d off.

Cash Situation Growing Stronger.

The cash situation is gradually working into a stronger position, and, while sales are not being largely advertised, it is generally understood there is a good volume of business being worked daily, with an inquiry from practically every direction, which bids fair to become a decided factor in the market before long. From an export standpoint there is little encouragement so far, although reported sales were fairly heavy. The flour trade is not particularly encouraging, but one element of strength is evident in the comparatively small stocks of both wheat and flour at the interior mills and distributing points in the east. Millers in the east are generally believers in lower values, and consequently continue to buy in a hand to mouth way.

Russia as a Wheat Buyer.

The reported purchase of a cargo of 320,000 bu Argentine wheat by Russia, which was sprung on the trade, at a suspiciously late hour on Wednesday, was not much of a factor marketwise, and its authenticity was doubted in many quarters. The trade recalled to mind reports of big purchases of American wheat made a year ago, on which the market was bulled temporarily, but which had no lasting effect and did not represent any particular demand. The Price Current was noncommittal as to the condition of winter wheat, saying zero temperatures had visited parts of the belt where there was no snow covering, but that efforts to forecast the probable damage were so far unsatisfactory. Local cash sales were 100,000 bu, with 360,000 bu reported taken at the seaboard. Clearances for the day from the Atlantic seaboard were 163,000 bu.

Bulls at Helm in Corn.

Corn was strong in the main, influenced by persistent buying support by the leading bull interest, light receipts, improved cash demand with higher prices, and small country offerings. The big bulls increased their lines and while there was a moderate disposition on the part of the local crowd to fight the advance sales were not large until the "ups" prices was reached, when there was fair selling, which, coupled with the weakness in wheat, caused a moderate setback. Final prices were ¼ to ⅝c higher. Receipts here were 165 cars with 278 cars expected today. Primary arrivals were 480,000 bu, or 164,000 bu less than a year ago. Clearances were large—292,000 bu. Cash prices were unchanged to ¼c higher with sales of 75,000 bu here, and 88,000 bu at the seaboard. Baltimore reported cash cables discouraging. Argentine shipments for the week were estimated at 400,000 bu.

Buying of Oats Is Persistent.

Persistent buying of old May oats by leading cash interests and the chief bull house worked for a strong and higher oats market with the close practically on the top, final net gains being ⅝c to ¾c, the latter on the Old May. The bulk of the buying was understood to represent the taking off of hedges against cash sales here and in the east. Local sales were 200,000 bu and a better cash demand was reported with prices ½c to ⅝c higher. Western receipts were 416,000 bu, and shipments 433,000 bu. Shorts were good buyers and there was a scarcity of offerings throughout the session. Receipts were 95 cars, with 101 cars expected tomorrow.

Lard Is Under Pressure.

Heavy selling of lard by outside interests with moderate pressure from the larger packers caused slightly lower prices in a dull and slow provisions market. Trade seemed to be fairly well evened up, with outside orders at a premium and local traders working close to shore. The western hog movement was about 5,000 more than a year ago, and predictions were current of an increased run next week, as prices paid in the country are now generally around 4c. Packing for the week was estimated at 810,000 hogs, against 650,000 for the same period a year ago. Shipments of lard and meats were about 144 cars. Liverpool quoted Cumberland sides 6d higher and foreign prices were generally firm.

Rye Is Firmly Held.

Rye prices were firmly held. Offerings were again moderate—receipts, 1 car—while buyers took hold freely. February closed at 80c bid and May 83c bid. No. 2 sold free on board at 82½@83c and No. 4 at 79c.

Barley was irregular. Fancy grades were scarce and firmly held, while lower grades were hard to sell. Malting was quoted 82@ 86c; mixing, 66@70c, and screenings, 40@63c. Receipts were 20 cars.

Flaxseed was quiet and unchanged. No. 1 northwestern closed at $1.21½; No. 1 from the northwest, $1.20; No. 1 southwestern, $1.11½, and rejected northwestern, $1.03@ 1.12.

Timothy seed was in good demand at firm prices. Cash contract closed at $4.70 bid; March, $4.85, and cash lots, $3.75@4.75.

Cloverseed was steady at $19.00 for cash contract, $19.20 for March, and $13.00@18.25 for cash lots.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Feb 6.	Feb 5.
May	96¾@¾	97¼@¾	96¼@¾	97¼	97¼
July	93⅜@¾	94@¾	93⅛	93¾	93¾@¾
Sept	90¾@¾	90⅝	90¼	90¼	91

CORN.

May	60⅝@¾	61⅛	60⅝	61¼	61
July	60⅞@¾	60⅝@¾	60⅜	60¾@¾	60¾@¼
Sept	58¾@¾	59⅛	58½	58¾	58¼

OATS.

May, old	53¼@¾	54	53¼	54	53¾@¼
May, new	51¼	51⅝	51⅛	51⅝	51@¼
July, old	51¼	51⅝	51⅛	51⅝	51@¼
July, new	44¼	44¾	44¼	44¾	44¼

MESS PORK.

Feb	.....	.....	.....	11.65	11.87½
May	12.10	12.15	12.05	12.07½	12.12½
July	12.40	12.45	12.35	12.37½	12.45

LARD.

Feb	.....	.....	.....	7.32½	7.37½
May	7.62½	7.65	7.52½	7.57½	7.60
July	7.75	7.75	7.70	7.70	7.75

SHORT RIBS.

Feb	.....	.....	.....	6.25	6.20
May	6.65	6.65	6.57½	6.60	6.65
July	6.82½	6.87½	6.82½	6.82½	6.87½

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or Standard.	better,	ard.	No. 3.	Lower grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	...	...	...	5	4	9
Spring wheat	...	...	...	1	1	2
Pacific wheat	...	...	...	2	5	8
Durum wheat	1	...	...	...	...	1
Corn	...	...	30	130	105	265
Oats	...	1	68	26	95	190
Rye	...	...	1	...	1	2
Barley	2	...	...	16	20	38
Totals	4	1	100	186	300	

Inspected out: Wheat—No. 2 red, 53,830 bu. Rye—No. 2, 22,011 bu. Barley—No. 4, 12,648 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—Winter, 7 cars No. 2 hard, 12 cars No. 2 red; spring, 8 cars No. 1 northern. Corn—1 car No. 2 yellow, 87 cars No. 3 yellow, 14 cars No. 3 white, 14 cars No. 3. Oats—28 cars standard, 25 cars No. 3 white, 8 cars No. 4 white. Rye—2 cars No. 2.

Primary Movement.

	Wheat—Receipts.	Wheat—Shipments.	Corn—Receipts.	Corn—Shipments.
Yesterday	402,000	260,000	480,000	420,000
Last week	472,000	360,000	676,000	536,000
Last year	208,000	210,000	644,000	500,000
1900	430,000	249,000	452,000	376,000

Oats—Receipts, 416,000 bu; shipments, 433,000 bu. Last year, receipts, 292,000 bu; shipments, 431,000 bu.

Daily Indemnities.

	Ups.			Downs.		
Wheat.	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	96⅜	96¼	96¼	*96⅝	*96⅝	*96⅜
Corn—						
May	*61¼	61⅜	*61¼	*61	60⅝	†60⅛
Oats—						
May	54½	†54⅝	†51¼	*53⅜	53½	*53⅜

*Sellers. †Bid.

Weekly Indemnities.

	Good all this week. Ups.	Downs.
Wheat—		
May	$1.01⅜	.92¼
Corn—		
May	.63⅜	.59
Oats—		
May	.56	.51⅛

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Steady. Winter wheat patents, jute, $4.20@4.35; straight jute, $4.00@4.10; clear jute, $3.40@3.60; spring wheat flour, favorite brands, $6.00; Minnesota hard patents, jute, $4.95@5.15; Minneapolis hard, straights, spring [export bags], $4.70@4.80; clear [export bags], $3.80@4.15; second clear [export bags], $3.00@3.10; rye [export bags], $3.55@4.10.

WINTER WHEAT—½c lower. Sales in store and to go: No. 2 red, 100,000 bu at 1⅛@3c under May in store. Free on board, switched and delivered: No. 3 hard, 95¾c; No. 2 hard, 97¼c. Illinois proportional: No. 4 hard, 95c; No. 3 hard, 95¼c.

SPRING WHEAT—Quiet. Sales free on board, switched, and delivered: No. 2 northern $1.06.

CORN—Unchanged to ½c higher. Sales in store and to go: Mixed lots, 70,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No grade sold 42@50¼c; No. 4 yellow, 53c; No. 3, 56c; No. 3 yellow, 54½@ 56c; No. 4 white, 52¾@53c; No. 3 white, 55¼c. Illinois proportional: No grade, 42¾@51c; No. 4, 51@ 53c; No. 3 yellow, 52@53½c; No. 3, 54¼@55¼c; No. 3 yellow, 55@56c; No. 4 white, 50@53c; No. 3 white, 54@55¼c.

OATS—¼@¾c higher. Sales in store and to go: White clipped, 200,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4 white, 49¼@52c; No. 3 white, 51@52¼c; standard, 52¼c. Illinois proportional billing: No grade, 48¾@49c; No. 4 white, 50@52¼c; No. 3, 49¼@50c; No. 3 white, 51¼@52¼c.

RYE—Firm. Sales free on board: No. 2, 83½@ 83c; No. 4, 79c.

BARLEY—Irregular. Sales free on board or switched: Skimmings, 53c; screenings, 53@62c; barley, 70@93c.

PROVISIONS—Easy. Cash lots: Mess pork, $11.62½@11.75; lard, $7.32½; and short ribs, $6.00@ 6.37½, according to weight and age.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady; prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $23.00@23.50; extra mess beef, $10.50@11.00; plate beef, $11.50@ 12.00; extra plate beef, $12.00@12.50. Tallow steady at 6@6¼c for edible; 5¾@5¼c for prime packers; 5¼@5¼c for No. 1 do, and 4¾@4¼c for No. 2 do; 4¾@5c for No. 1 renderers, 5¼@5¾c for choice country, and 4¾@4¼c for No. 2 do. Oleostearine in fair demand and quotably steady at 7¾@7¼c.

GREASE—Quiet at 4@4¼c for brown, 4¼@4¾c for yellow, 4¼@4¾c for house, 4¾@5c for B white, 5¼@5¾c for A white, and 5¼@5¾c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady: ash pork brls, $1.17½@ 1.20; oak pork brls, $1.45@1.55, and lard tcs, $1.65@ $1.75.

WHISKY—Steady on a basis of $1.35 for finished goods.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, single brls, 41c; 5 brl lots, 40c; boiled, single brls, 42c; 5 brl lots, 41c.

HAY—Steady. Receipts, 1,001 tons; shipments, 140 tons. Choice timothy hay, $14.50@15.00; No. 1, $12.50@14.00; No. 2 and No. 1 mixed, $10.50@11.50; No. 3 and No. 2 mixed, $9.00@10.00; Kansas and Indian Territory prairie—Choice, $12.50@12.50; No. 1, $10.50@11.50; and No. 2, $9.00@10.00. Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, and Dakota prairie—Choice, $10.00@10.50; No. 1, $8.50@9.50; lower grades, $7.50@8.00.

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON CHANGE.

Local holders of cash wheat are taking firm views of the situation and are not disposed to let any of their special bin wheat go except at stiff prices. Offerings are getting lighter, although prices for the general run of stuff did not show much change yesterday, 1¾@3c under May being paid for No. 2 red. There is a good inquiry every day, and while sales are not large, they show a fair average. All of the wheat in the Keith house has been sold to go out. St. Louis reported sales of 80,000 bu No. 2 red out of store, and wired there was no let up in the inquiry. The situation at Kansas City did not show much of any change, prices being steady and the demand moderate. Minneapolis No. 1 northern was quoted 1@1¼c over the May, with a moderate inquiry. Stocks there increased 150,000 bu for five days. Duluth wired that export sales made from the seaboard by Duluth were large, including 25 loads durum, 10 loads No. 1 northern, and 2 loads No. 2 red, the latter to go to Antwerp. Duluth also wired that seaboard stock of No. 1 northern had been pretty well cleaned, and that 50,000 bu had also been sold from Buffalo, where there is said to be an insufficient supply to run the mills until the opening of navigation. This was taken to forecast an excellent and sustained demand, as the stock of Manitoba wheat at the seaboard is practically all sold. Local sales were 100,000 bu, including 15,000 bu No. 2 red, sold for export. Seaboard sales were 360,000 bu.

Armour is on the bull side of wheat, according to some usually well informed people, and is said to be accumulating a formidable line of wheat for future delivery, while owing a large portion of the local cash wheat stocks. An Armour campaign in wheat is usually run deliberately, and even if the recent winner in the bear market is now on the long side, it is not altogether certain that prices will be moved in a hurry. Some of the wheat sharps are predicting a lively scramble to cover on the part of the shorts, when it becomes evident that the wheat recently sold has gone into strong hands. It was stated yesterday that the bulk of the cash wheat owned by the Armour Grain company is being held at ¾c under May in store, as against the ruling price of 1¾@3c under.

Heavy purchases of oats in the pit by Bartlett-Frazier yesterday were understood to be taking off hedges on cash stuff sold here and in the east, good sales at New York being reported. The demand for oats has shown modern improvement for several days, and eastern buyers are said to be replenishing their depleted stock as fast as possible. Cash prices were ¼@¾c higher, with offerings light. Corn was unchanged to ¼c higher, with a fair demand. All outside markets reported a fair shipping demand. Country offerings in some instances were a little more liberal, but acceptances, as a rule, were light. Other markets, as a general thing, are outbidding this market. Local cash sales were 75,000 bu oats, and 150,000 bu corn. Export sales of corn were 88,000 bu.

Canby, Chapin, Jackson Bros., Logan-Bryan, Gillett, Northern Grain, and Shoen of St. Louis were on the buying side of wheat. Love, Barrell, and Slaughter were early sellers, with A. O. Brown selling quite a little wheat at the last. Bartlett-Frazier, Cudahy brokers, Allen Conard-Stevens, and the Northern Grain company were on the buying side of corn. Nye-Jenks Ware-Leland, Pringle, and Warner sold. The buying of old May oats by Bartlett-Frazier and Armour was the feature of the oats trade. Buckley and Dewey were the sellers. A S White covered a line of short hog products, but with the exception of this and covering by other shorts the demand was not good. Packers sold freely and there was free selling of lard by the Anglo-American company.

Lard is going to lose a good part of its premium over ribs, according to some of the provisions sharps who are more bearish than ever in their views. Loose lard is selling at about 8c under the May, which permits of an abnormal profit in tiering loose lard and selling for May delivery. More than this, it is stated that the supply of pork in store at the principal western packing centers is equal to a full year's supply for consumption under normal conditions, while it is maintained the present demand is nearly up to normal. Prices for hogs have gradually strengthened until farmers generally are being paid 4c for their hogs in the country, which, it is said, is satisfactory, and will start a fresh run of large proportions.

Eastern exporters do not talk encouragingly regarding the export corn outlook. Baltimore exporters particularly take a gloomy view of the situation and it was claimed by local shippers who generally are doing a big export business in corn via Baltimore that there is little demand even with prices for Baltimore contract wheat for February delivery ¼@2c under Chicago May, whereas during December it was quoted 4@5c over Chicago May. One local house worked more than 1,000,000 bu corn for export through Baltimore during the latter part of November and December, but has been doing little since. Boston exporters wired that corn was being offered 2@3c under Chicago parity at junction points in the east.

"A year ago packers owned product and futures, now they own the product and are short the futures, and are active here in depressing the latter as well as the product through the south, as reports come that they are predicting 6c May ribs, which discourages buying by jobbers," said Logan-Bryan. "This is hard to realize—a manufacturer discouraging the trade from buying their goods looks like they are trying to shake out the holders of speculative product in order to even up their short sales, then be in position to market their cash stuff."

Net proceeds from the annual benefit entertainment given by members of the board of trade were $678.15. The sum of $250 was added to the $750 already paid in for the erection of a cottage for children at Algonquin, Ill., under the charge of the Chicago board of charities. The remainder was distributed as follows: Margaret Etter creche, $60; Workers' creche, Visitation and Aid society, $68.15; Mathesn, $60; Charity alliance, $60; Ephphetha mission, $60; Bible Rescue mission, $60.

The Cincinnati Price Current said: "Variable weather influences on wheat fields undetermined. Plant regarded as uncertain in vigor for maintaining promise under adverse conditions. Cold weather favoring drying corn. Week's packing at western centers, 810,000 hogs, against 650,000 hogs for the corresponding week last year. Packing of hogs for the season from Nov. 1 to date is new 8,180,000, as compared to 7,690,000 hogs a year ago."

Duluth wired Pringle-Fitch-Rankin: "Export business is needed to maintain present prices, but the best posted people in this line of trade declare that we will have this export demand in good volume, as Argentina cannot feed the world all alone. There is a better demand for No. 1 northern from eastern millers at a larger premium, and three loads of Duluth No. 1 northern were sold this afternoon for direct export."

Stocks of provisions in store at Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph, and Milwaukee Jan. 31, as reported to the board of trade, with comparisons, follow:

	Jan. 31.	Dec. 31.	Jan. 31, '07.
Mess pork, brls	88,063	22,185	27,459
Lard, tcs	42,776	13,542	35,605
Ribs, lbs	48,166,979	16,734,317	14,653,807
Total cut meats	281,350,104	180,762,210	190,651,981

"All of our wheat will be wanted," said George H. Daggett of Minneapolis, who was here yesterday on his way to the east. "Of course the Argentine will ship a lot of wheat, but their supplies will not be equal to the demand. Northwest conditions are bullish. Interior elevator stocks and farm reserves are much smaller than the bears are willing to acknowledge."

Total primary receipts of wheat at both spring and winter wheat markets for the thirty-one weeks since June are about 10,000,000 bu less than for the same period a year ago. Arrivals aggregate 157,810,000 bu, against 167,989,000 bu a year ago. The total for the last thirty-one weeks is the smallest in the last five years, both for winter and spring wheat.

Nothing further was heard from Broomhall relative to the reported sale of a cargo of Argentine wheat being sold to Russia, which he cabled late Wednesday night. Bartlett, Barrell & Co. cabled their London correspondent regarding the matter, and received the reply that they had no such information.

Winnipeg wired: "Exporters good buyers of our cash wheat. This caused the strength in options. May sold up to $1.12⅝. 1c over last night's close."

Closing prices for wheat in foreign markets were: Liverpool, 1¼@1¼d lower; Paris, ½c lower; Berlin, 1c lower; Budapest, ¾c higher.

Estimated receipts for today are: Wheat, 16 cars; corn, 278 cars: oats, 101 cars; rye, 2 cars; barley, 7 cars; hogs, 36,000.

Argentine shipments for the week were estimated at 5,200,000 bu wheat and 400,000 bu corn.

Henry Ford Harrey has applied for membership on the board of trade.

Winnipeg had 56 cars of wheat, against 32 cars a year ago.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Feb 6.	Feb 5.
May	6.15	6.20	6.15	6.20	6.15
July	6.25	6.30	6.25	6.25	6.25
September	6.35	6.40	6.35	6.35	6.35

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet: middling uplands, 11.70c; middling gulf, 11.95c. Sales, 100 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Feb 6.	Feb 5.
March	10.93	11.01	10.91	11.00	10.89
May	10.93	11.08	10.93	11.03	10.93
July	10.77	10.85	10.75	10.85	10.73
October	10.10	10.15	10.08	10.14	10.03

Cotton in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6.—Closing: Cotton—Spot in fair demand; prices 9 points lower; American middling fair, 6.66d; good middling, 6.57d; middling, 6.31d; low middling, 5.97d; good ordinary, 5.53d; ordinary, 5.06d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,400 American. Receipts, 22,200 bales, all American. Futures opened easier and closed steady.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6.—Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 6d; futures, quiet; March 7s 5¾d; May, 7s 5½d; July, 7s 6¼d. Corn—Spot, easy; prime mixed American, old, 5s 4½d; new northern, 5s 2¾d; futures, quiet; February, 5s 1¾d; March, 5s 2¼d.

Western Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 6.—Wheat—May opened at $1.05¼@1.05⅜; high, $1.06¼@1.06¾; low, $1.05¼; close, $1.05¾. July closed at $1.05⅜. Cash wheat was slower, No. 1 northern 1c over May and No. 2 northern 1c under. Millers soon filled up and slow out. No. 1 northern closed at $1.06¾@1.07¼ spot, and $1.7¾ to arrive; No. 2 northern, $1.04¾@ 1.05¼ spot, and $1.05¼ to arrive; No. 3 wheat, 99¾ @$1.02⅜. No. 3 yellow corn, 55¾@56¾c; No. 3 white oats, 49¾c; No. 2 rye, 77¼@78¼c. Flour was unchanged and quiet. Shipments, 37,363 brls. First patents, $5.35@5.50; second patents, $5.25@5.40; first clears, $4.25@4.35; second clears, $3.45@3.55. Barley ranged from 85@90c. Flax—Firm at 1c under Duluth May, crushers taking it freely. Close, $1.18¾. Bran—Firmer and 50c higher; in bulk, $20.00.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 6.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, on track, $1.08⅝; to arrive, No. 1 northern $1.06⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.03⅝; on track, No. 1 northern, $1.06⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.03⅝; May, $1.06⅝; July, $1.06⅝; No. 1 northern, in store, $1.03⅝; No. 2 northern, in store, $1.00⅝. Durum—On track, No. 1, 91½c; No. 2, 90c; May durum, 91½c; July durum, 92½c. Oats—To arrive, 49c; oats, on track, 49c. Rye—74@78c. Barley—65@95c. Flax—Close: to arrive, $1.18; flax, on track, $1.18; May, $1.19½; July, $1.21¼. Cars inspected: Wheat, 60; last year, 49; corn, 1; oats, 6; barley, 4; flax, 21; last year, 10. Receipts: Wheat, 99,535; oats, 14,814; barley, 17,795; flax, 25,043. Shipments: Wheat, 10,212; flax, 96.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 6.—Close: Wheat—Firm; track, No. 2 red, cash, 98¼c@$1.00; No. 2 hard, $1.00@1.05; May, 97¾c; July, 90¼c. Corn—Firm; track, No. 2 cash, 55¼@56¾c; No. 2 white, 56¾@ 57c; May, 58½c; July, 58¼@58¾c. Oats—Firm; track, No. 2 cash, 50c; No. 2 white, 53c; May, 50½c. Rye—Steady; 80c. Lead—Steady; $3.65. Spelter—Steady; $4.60.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 6.—Close: Wheat—May, 93¼c; July, 86¾c; cash, No. 2 hard, 93¼@ 95¼c; No. 3, 92@94½c; No. 2 red, 96c@$1.00; No. 3, 90@93c. Corn—May, 55¾c; July, 55c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 54½c; No. 3, 54c; No. 2 white, 54¾c; No. 3, 54c. Oats—No. 2 white 49¼@50½c; No. 2 mixed, 48½@49c. Receipts—Wheat, 35 cars.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 6.—Wheat—Steady; No. 1 northern, $1.08@1.09½; No. 2 northern, $1.06 @1.08; May, 97¼c asked. Rye—Higher; No. 1, 82¼ @83c. Barley—Dull; No. 2, $1.01; sample, 65c@ $1.00. Oats—Higher; standard, 52@53c. Corn—Firmer; puts, 60¾c bid; calls, 61¾c bid; No. 3 cash, 55@56c; May, 61¼c bid.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 6.—Clover seed—Cash, February, and March, $11.40; April, $11.25; September, $8.02½. Timothy—Prime, $2.25. Alsike—Prime, $10.40.

CHICKENS AGAIN RULE STRONG.

A further advance of ½c was made in prices for chickens, both alive and dressed. Receipts for the last few days have been running unusually small and buyers, although taking just enough for actual needs, have found offerings inadequate for their wants. Supplies of green vegetables have been running heavy of late. The demand has been such buyers being afraid to load up with perishable goods in this kind of weather, and in consequence stocks show quite an accumulation. For butter and eggs the demand has not been so urgent recently, but supplies continue small and prices are well maintained.

VEGETABLES.

Beets, sacks	75@80c	Sweet potatoes, per brl	$3.50@4.50
Carrots, sacks	50@60c	Peppers, per crate	$2.00
Cabbage, per ton	$10.00@14.00	Turnips, sack	40@60c
Cauliflower, per crate	50c@$1.75	Spinach, brl	$3.50@4.00
Celery, crate	$3.50@3.75	Squash, brl	$2.75
Cucumbers, bu	60@80c	String beans, bushel	$3.50@4.00
Egg plant, crate	$1.50@2.00	Pea beans	$2.35@2.40
Lettuce, brl	$1.00@4.50	Lima beans, Cal.	10c
Do leaf, cases	75@75c	Do Mex, lbs	$2.50@5.62½
Onions, bu	60@75c	Tomatoes, 6 baskets	.35c@$2.25
Potatoes, bu	55@75c		
Do new, brls	$6.50@7.00		

FRUIT.

Cranberries, per brl	$5.00@7.50
Apples, brl	$2.00@6.00
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50@3.75
Malaga grapes, keg	$3.75
Lemons, box	$1.50@6.00
Oranges, box	$1.25@3.50
Pineapples, per crate	$3.50@6.00
Pears, bu	75c
Strawberries	25@40c

POULTRY.

Chickens, fowls	11¼c
Do spring, lb	11¼c
Turkeys	10c
Live geese, per doz	$5.00@7.00
Dressed geese	8@9c
Do turkeys	13@14c
Do ducks	10@11c
Do chickens	11@11½c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, prime firsts	29½c
Do firsts	29c
Do ordinary firsts	19½@21¼c
Do dirties	11@14c
Do extras, 50 per cent fresh	25¼c
Butter, dairies, extras	29c
Creameries, extras	33c
Packing stock	21c
Firsts	29@30c
Seconds	22@24c
Cheese, twins	12¼c
Do dairies	12½@13c
Do limburger	14½@15c
Do Swiss block	15c

IN WORLD'S PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Wheat—Receipts, 12,000 bu; exports, 71,988 bu. Spot steady; No. 2 red, $1.00¾, elevator. $1.02¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.16¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.10¾ f. o. b. afloat. Final prices were ¼c net lower. May $1.04 9-16@1.05¼, closed $1.05¼; July, $1.00 5-16@1.01¼, closed $1.01¼.

Corn—Receipts, 68,800 bu. Spot firm. No. 2, 60c elevator and 62¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 white, 63½c, and No. 2 yellow, 63c f. o. b. afloat, all nominal. Options closed net unchanged; May, 60¾@70¼c, closed 70¼c; July closed 58¾c.

Oats—Receipts, 4,500 bu. Spot firm; mixed, 26@ 32 lbs, 58c; natural white, 26@32 lbs, 54½@55½c; clipped white, 32@40 lbs, 58¼@65c.

Cottonseed oil—Weak. Prime crude, 30c; do yellow, 33c.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.25c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.75c; molasses sugar, 3c. Refined steady.

Quotations on Coffee.

The coffee market opened steady at unchanged prices, which was about in line with the cables. Trading was quiet. Sales were reported of 5,500 bags. Spot steady: Rio, No. 7, 6¾c; Santos, No. 4, 8¼c; Cordova, 9¾@12c.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Feb 6.	Feb 5.
March	6.10	6.15	6.10	6.10	6.10

DULL IN THE STOCK MARKET

Trading Light, with Price Changes of No Consequence.

WALL STREET NOT BUOYANT

Money Rules Easy and Banks Find It Difficult to Make Loans.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Business on the stock exchange today fell away again to a volume which approximates midsummer trading, and price changes were as a rule of little consequence. The financial community seems disposed at last to pay serious attention to the attacks which are being made upon it from all quarters.

It has come to a sober recognition of the fact that if it is to form the chief topic of discussion by political speakers of both parties throughout the presidential campaign the outlook is extremely unpleasant.

In addition to this each day brings forth a batch of proposed legislation, either in congress or state lawmaking bodies, designed to hamper or abolish entirely the dealings in futures. The most prominent measure of this kind so far has been aimed directly at produce exchanges and the cotton markets.

Wall Street Expects Worst.

After President Roosevelt's fulmination against the stock exchange last week Wall street is prepared for the worst, and meantime it doesn't enjoy the prospects. These are, of course, the perplexities as regards the future, but the immediate situation is looked upon as bad enough in itself, finding adequate reflection in the unfavorable railroad earnings statements which continue to pour in.

The technical position of the stock market is such, however, that all these matters so far have had little influence upon prices, although they have been responsible for the increasing dullness. There is obviously a large short interest, and by skillful bidding up of stocks here and there this speculative element is easily persuaded to cover its position and thus to give to the market an appearance of strength. It was trading of this sort which made up all of today's business, and it probably will be trading of the same kind which will make up markets for some time to come.

Bank of England Rate Same.

As had been expected, the directors of the Bank of England left that institution's discount rate unchanged at their meeting today. A decrease of $4,750,000 in gold and an enlargement of loans brought down the proportion of reserves to liabilities to 54.41 per cent as compared with 56.68 per cent last week, but the percentage is still high for the season and the bank is plainly taking advantage of this fact to repay advances by the Bank of France.

A hardening of discounts in London led to slight upturn in foreign exchange rates here, but the market is still some distance from the gold export point. Money ruled easy again and the banks found it even more difficult to put out funds. Trust companies are withdrawing from the call money market owing to the fact that the 2 per cent rate obtaining there can be obtained by them on deposits with the banks and the making of such deposits probably will push up this item in the coming bank statement. Another call for the return of treasury deposits is looked for, but the money market is well able to stand this.

Money on call steady, 1½@2 per cent; ruling rate, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2. Time loans dull but steady; sixty day, 3¾@4 per cent, and ninety days, 4@4¼ per cent; six months, 4½ per cent offered. Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8650@4.8655 for demand and at 4.8223@4.8230 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills, 4.8275. Bar silver, 55¾. Mexican dollars, 46. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds heavy.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Feb 6.	Close Feb 5.
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IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Western Electric Reports No Profits Made in 1907.

DIVIDEND OUT OF SURPLUS.

Sanitary District Puts $1,917,500 4-Per Cent Bonds on Market.

One of the notable reports of the year covering shrinkage in business was that submitted to the shareholders of the Western Electric company at their annual meeting yesterday. With a gross business of $52,724,168 no profits were made and dividends to the amount of $1,200,000 (8% on the capital), were paid out of surplus. The report to the shareholders was made by Secretary H. A. Halligan and follows:

"The company's sales for fiscal year ended Nov. 30, 1907 were $52,724,168, as compared with $69,245,832 for the previous year, a decrease of 23.9 per cent.

"This reduction in the volume of business was due chiefly to the decrease in the sales to the Bell Telephone companies, who made large expenditures for new construction in 1906. A single statement will illustrate the great decline in this business. The sales to the telephone companies for the last six months of 1907 were about one-third the sales for the same period of 1906.

"The reduction in the volume of this business has left us with large stocks of merchandise and a large amount of idle plant. The merchandise inventories have been taken according to the same policy which has been followed for many years and the work of taking the inventory has been carried on by employees who have done this work for a number of years.

"The inventory valuations of the merchandise represent conservative and fair values for the merchandise on hand at the end of the year (Nov. 30, 1907) and they do not cover any reserve for a further reduction in the volume of business or fall in prices of material during the coming year.

Dividends Out of Surplus.

"Our other business in this country and our foreign business was of a greater volume and made about the same rate of profit as in previous years. Taking the business of the company for the year as a whole, no profits have been earned and the dividends to the amount of $1,200,000 have been paid from the surplus. This result is due to the combination of general conditions, chief among which are the increased proportion of expense to sales and to the sudden falling off of sales, the reduction in the price of merchandise stocks due to overstocks, and falling off in prices of labor and material entering into these stocks, and to the high rates of interest on our large indebtedness of a year ago.

"The indebtedness of the company has been reduced during the year by $10,000,000, while the cash and receivables are more than sufficient to pay all liabilities.

"In December, 1907, there were in the company's employ 16,259 people, as compared with 26,938 in December, 1906, a decrease of 40 per cent.

"It is expected that our volume of business for 1908 will be smaller than for 1907, owing to the prevailing financial conditions."

Sanitary District Bonds.

The sanitary district of Chicago is offering for sale $1,917,500 4 per cent bonds of the district. Bids will be received until Wednesday, Feb. 19. The interest is payable semi-annually, June and December. Bids for the bonds must be accompanied by a check or draft for 5 per cent of the amount bid and 50 per cent must be deposited March 1, when one-half of the bonds awarded will be delivered. The remainder must be deposited March 26, when the second half of the bonds will be delivered. The bonds are dated Dec. 1, 1907, and mature from Dec. 1, 1909, to December, 1926.

It was intended to offer these bonds last December, but in view of money conditions then prevailing it was decided to await improvement in the bond market. Meantime the needs of the district were met by ordinary borrowings in the way of short time loans. Since Jan. 1 $875,000 has been borrowed and $82,500 of bonds have been sold at par, or a small discount, to contractors or owners of property in the right of way of the north shore channel. There is now an active inquiry for the bonds, and the sanitary district officials feel certain that their action in postponing the bond offering will result in a large gain to the taxpayers of the district.

Financial Statement.

Following is a financial statement of the sanitary district:

Total bonds issued	$ 30,140,000
Bonds retired to Nov. 30, '07	11,602,000
Outstanding Dec. 1, 1907.	18,538,000
Amount of present issue.	2,000,000
	$20,538,000
Legal limit, 5% of equalised value of property 1907	$ 24,986,870
Equalized value of property, 1907	499,737,415

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding bonds	$ 18,538,000
Fixed contract obligation not yet due	369,561
Total debt	$18,907,561
Population of district in excess of	1,500,000
Area of district in square miles	358
Actual value of property [approximate]	$2,500,000,000
Right of way lands acquired [acres, about]	7,000
Cost of right of way lands to date.	$8,463,894
Length of main channel [miles]	28.1

Strawboard Earnings.

Stockholders of the American Strawboard company held their annual meeting yesterday. The one retiring director was re-elected. No balance sheet was submitted, but President Mitchell gave out the following figures:

Net earnings from mills	$407,710
Net earnings from stores	54,004
Total profits	$462,804
Personal earned on stock, note, family	7.7

The following payments out of earnings were made:

Reduced mortgage indebtedness	$168,000
Paid for improvements	217,818
Paid for repairs	76,663
Total mentioned	$461,975.

The outstanding first mortgage bonds are now $100,000. The profits for 1907 compare with $395,526 for 1906, and $120,422 for 1905.

Chicago and Oak Park's Year.

The annual meeting of the Chicago and Oak Park elevated railroad company was held yesterday, and the figures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1907, were presented. The road earned a deficit of $63,944. This, however, was $28,834 less than the deficit for the previous year. There was a small gain in gross receipts due to business in the earlier part of the fiscal year. The financial statements follow:

EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

	June 30, 1907.	June 30, 1906.	June 30, 1905.
Earnings.			
Passenger	$ 866,866	$ 865,537	$ 820,196
Miscellaneous	22,703	26,917	21,748
Gross earn'g	$ 892,569	$ 890,554	$ 842,944
Operating expenses:			
Maintenance of way and structure	$ 21,405	$ 19,499	$ 24,624
Maintenance of equipment	50,549	45,657	41,659
Conducting tr'portation	404,781	391,648	396,518
General expenses	50,492	48,739	48,126
Totals	$ 527,180	$ 505,536	$ 509,929
Net earnings	$ 365,389	$ 385,018	$ 367,015
Charges:			
*Interest	$ 296,726	$ 287,462	$ 321,441
Taxes	67,078	52,467	51,797
Rental	87,657	78,366	84,654
Total charges	$ 429,334	$ 417,704	$ 447,893
Deficit	63,944	92,778	110,847
Per cent operating to gross	59.07	56.77	60.02

*Includes $62,722 paid to the railway company on account of reorganization.

BALANCE SHEET—ASSETS.

	June 30, 1907.	June 30, 1906.	June 30, 1905.
Cost of road and equipment	$17,889,568	$17,843,879	$17,801,221
Stocks and bonds owned	437,753	437,753	458,253
Cash and Accts. receivable	119,416	126,627	119,721
Materials and supplies on hand	1,825	9,123	60,607
Sundry	2,855	2,855	
Profit and loss (deficit)	207,116	268,343	165,564
Totals	$18,740,485	$18,788,060	$18,585,456

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$10,000,000	$10,000,000	$10,000,000
Funded debt	6,040,000	6,040,000	6,043,000
Debenture notes	250,000	350,000	350,000
Real estate mortgages	5,238	5,238	5,362
Accounts pay-			

able	97,826	64,112	50,387
Interest on funded debt accrued due	114,816	114,816	114,329
†Notes payable	2,174,500	2,044,500	1,924,150
Sundry	7,660	119,894	98,227
Totals	$18,740,485	$18,788,060	$18,585,456

*First mortgage Bonds | $ 5,000,000 | $ 5,000,000 | $ 5,000,000
Income bonds | 1,000,000 | 1,000,000 | 1,000,000
Car trust notes | 40,000 | 40,000 | 43,000
Totals | $ 6,040,000 | $ 6,040,000 | $ 6,043,000

†Includes notes to Chicago and Oak Park Elevated Railway company amounting to $1,040,000.

President Knight's Report.

President Clarence Knight in discussing the business of the year, said to the shareholders that the decrease of $4,214 in miscellaneous earnings was caused by loss in advertising and vending privileges and in rentals from real estate. The increase in operating expenses of $21,641 was due almost wholly to maintenance of way. All the items of increase were completely set out by Mr. Knight.

The train mileage for the year was 1,678,-239 against 1,620,208 miles the previous year. The interest charges of the company increased $8,983, caused mainly by higher rates. The company's equipment, Mr. Knight stated, had been maintained in first class condition. Concerning the future, the following announcement was made:

"It is hoped during the coming year to bring about an extension of the railroad of the company through the territory lying west of Oak Park. It is the judgment of the management that if this extention could be brought about it would add sufficient number of passengers to the business of the company to wipe out the deficit as shown by the annual report. The extension of the line west of Oak Park it is expected will be completed by an organization independent of this company, but with terminal contract rights that will give to the Chicago and Oak Park Elevated railroad company a 5 cent fare for all passengers delivered to it by the new company."

Retiring directors and officers were reelected.

Can't See Schwarzschild Books.

Justice Greenbaum of the New York Supreme court has denied the application for a peremptory or alternative writ of mandamus to compel the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company and its officers to permit Moses H. Joseph and Frederick Joseph to examine the books and papers of the corporation. The application was denied on the ground that it was not made in good faith, that it was intended to gather such facts as possible to turn over to the beef trust. The writ was denied with costs.

Southern Pacific's Big Earnings.

The pamphlet report of the Southern Pacific, issued yesterday, made an encouraging exhibit. However, it was for the year ended June 30, when freight cars were scarce, traffic congested, and business generally at the top notch. The profits shown on the common stock were $24,928,714, or approximately 12¼ per cent. The gain in this balance for the common was $8,505,946. The figures are for the gross receipts and disbursements of the Southern Pacific in respect to its leased lines and of proprietary companies and other receipts and disbursements of the Southern Pacific company and such proprietary companies, after excluding all offsetting transactions between them. The figures demonstrate what the Southern Pacific can do when business is normal. They follow:

		Increase.
Gross trans. receipts	$194,942,796	$210,234
Expenses	80,220,800	12,699,907
Net	44,721,996	7,210,841
Other income	1,007,606	1,082,936
Total income	45,679,604	8,293,777
Charges	20,082,913	211,530
Balance	29,597,691	9,064,806
Other charges	1,898,968	845,010
Available for dividends	27,698,592	Unchanged
Preferred divided 7%	2,769,879	
Balance for common	24,928,714	8,505,946
Common dividend 5¾%	10,347,134	5,440,886
Surplus	14,541,580	3,065,058
Other appropriations	152,996	*224,690
Final surplus	14,418,583	3,289,784
Available for dividends	8,505,946	

During the year $20,894,096 bonds were retired and $15,727,000 bonds issued, leaving net decrease in funded debt of $7,167,096.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

December—	
Total operating revenues	$ 4,536,604
Operating income after expenses	1,264,915
Six months ended Dec. 31—	
Total operating revenues	26,814,824
After expenses and taxes	6,611,106

*Decrease.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Bay State Gas	1,400	18-16	18-16	¾	¾
Boston Con	1,700	16¾	16¾	14¾	14¾
B. C. Cop	50	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Butte Coalition	600	18¾	18¾	18	18¾
Chicago Subway	100	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
C. & I. Central	7,000	1	1	¾	¾
Cumb. Ely	1,300	7¾	7¾	7¼	7¼
Colonial Silver	50	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Davis Daly	300	4¼	4¼	4	4
Dom. Cop	100	2	2	2	2
Dolores	100	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Ely Con	700	2	2	1¾	2
Furnace Creek	1,100	27	28	23	24
Giroux	200	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Goldfield Con	8,000	6¼	6¼	6	5 5-8
Greene Cananea	400	8¼	8¾	8¼	8¾
Guan	400	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Havana Tob	100	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Do pfd	1,800	16¾	17¾	16	17¾
Majestic	200	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Micmac	300	9¾	9¾	9¾	10¼
Mines Am	200	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Nev. Cons	3,900	10¼	10¾	10	10¼
Nipissing	600	6¼	6¾	6¼	6¾
Nev. Utah	2,900	4¼	4¼	4	4¼
North Butte Ext	300	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Silver Queen	250	75c	80c	75c	80c
Standard Oil	40	512	513	502	505
Stewart Min	400	1	1	1	1
Tonopah Mining	100	5¾	6¼	5¼	6¼
Trinity	1,000	1	1	1	1
Tribune	1,700	3	3	2¾	2¾
United Cop	600	6¼	6¾	6¼	6¼
White Knob pfd	450	¾	1 3-16	¾	1¼

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
American Tobacco	269	270
American Writing Paper	1¾	2¼
Do pfd	15	19
Electric Boat		22
Ely Con		10
Greene Cons. Copper	19	20
Greene Gold	1	1¼
Manhattan Transit	2¼	2¾
McKinley, D. & S	¾	1
N. Y. Transit	2	3
Otis Elevator	79	80
Do pfd	80	85
Royal Baking Powder pfd	88	92
Safety Car Heating and Lighting Co	122	125
Standard Coupler	40	50
Do pfd	100	115
United Copper pfd	21¾	26
Utah Apex	¾	1¼
Western Ice	12	15
Salt	11	15

BONDS

$7000 C C Ry 5s	95¼
7000 Chgo Gas 5s	100¾
1000 Chicago Edison deb 5s	97¾
1000 do 5s	97¾
4000 C Pneu T 5s	71½

Bank clearings in Chicago yesterday were $35,924,515 and a week ago $33,301,731.

New York exchange at par.

IN BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Copper stocks sold off slowly today under the load of Amalgamated, which lost a point to 49 in the early trading on offerings from New York. The stock was well bought here, as were other copper shares, and losses at the close were limited to fractions, with here and there a little gain. Rails and industrials were a bit heavy. Fluctuations were really meaningless and represented, for the most part, efforts of floor traders to scalp an eighth or a quarter. Call loans, 3¼@4 percent; time loans, collateral, 5@6 per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 5@6 per cent; clearing house loans, 4 per cent.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Alloues	50	29¾	29¾	29½	29½
Amal. Cop	7,785	50	50¾	49¼	49¾
Arcadian	35	4¼	4¼		4½
Ariz. Coml	200	19	19	18¾	18¾
Balakala	100	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Bingham	15	5½	5½	5½	5½
Boston Con	1,371	15¾	15¾	14¾	15¾
Butte Coalition	170	18¼	18¼	18	18¼
Cal. & Ariz	36	110¾	110¾	110¼	110¾
Cal. & Hecla	20	660	660	660	665
Centennial	55	23	23¼	22	23¼
Con. Mercur	10	35	35	35	35
Cop. Range	380	62¾	62¾	62¼	62¼
Daly West	10	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
Elm River	10	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Franklin	60	9	9	9	9
Granby	30	85	85	85	85
Greene Cananea	1,145	5¾	5¾	5¼	5¼
Isle Royle	610	15	15	14½	14¾
Mass. Mining	60	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
Mex. Con	133	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Michigan	25	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Mohawk	2	55	55	54	55
Mont. C. & C	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
New Con	10	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
North Butte	800	49¾	49¾	47¾	48
Old Dom	200	37	37¼	36¾	37¼
Osceola	27	84	84	82	84
Parrot	25	15¾	14¾	15¾	14¾
Phoenix	2	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Rhode Island	5	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Santa Fé	80	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Shannon	220	15	15	12	15
Trinity	575	15	15¼	15	15¼
U. S. Smelters	50	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
Do pfd	70	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Utah Con	800	37¼	37¼	37	37¼
Victoria	75	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Winona	50	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Wolverine	100	125	125	125	125
Wyandot	25	4¼	4¼	3¾	4¼
Ah. Tel. & Tel	125	107¼	107¼	107¼	107¼
Edison	10	206	206	206	206
Mass. Gas	80	84	84	83	84
Do pfd	9	94	94	94	94
Pullman	9	153	153	152½	152¼
Swift	20	99¾	100	99	99¾
United Fruit	222	119¼	119¾	118	118
United Shoe	306	42¼	42¼	42	42
Do pfd	18	27	27	26½	26½
U. S. Steel	180	104	104	104	104
Boston Elev	10	120¾	120¾	120½	120½
Boston & Albany	5	199¾	199¾	199¾	199¾
Boston & Prov	20	285	285	285	285
Boston & W. pfd	10	80	80	80	80
Chicago Junction	95	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
N. Y. N. H. & H	72	136	136½	136	136
Rutland pfd	10	26	26	26	26
West End St. R. R.	21	94	94	93¾	93¾
Do pfd	5	100	100	99¾	99¾

IN FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Money supplies were restricted today and the demand was good. Discount rates hardened in sympathy with money and the prospect of gold going out to France and South America. Business on the stock exchange settled down to comparative dullness after the recent activity. The hardening of money induced profit taking in various directions, and the fact that there was no change in the Bank of England's rate of discount caused a drop in consols early in the day. After these securities had recovered a quarter the markett again dropped on the publication of a poor bank statement and the prospect that Paris soon would be taking the gold borrowed during the American crisis.

American securities were steady in the forenoon and prices stood a shade over parity, but business was deadly dull owing to the unsatisfactory Wall street market yesterday and the prospects of decreased earnings and dividends through trade contraction. The afternoon session was uninteresting. The New York opening caused a slight hardening tendency and the market closed dull and steady. Foreigners were dull and Russians were weak.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, decreased	£1,077,000
Circulation, increased	727,000
Bullion, decreased	350,539
Other securities, increased	1,252,000
Other deposits, decreased	1,695,000
Public deposits, increased	113,000
Notes reserve, decreased	1,054,000
Government securities, decreased	5,000

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 51 11-16 per cent, compared with 54.87 per cent last week.

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—Prices on the boerse today were weaker upon yesterday's New York advices and the rising money rates in London. Discount rates: Short bills, 8 per cent; three months' bills, 4¾ per cent.

PARIS, Feb. 6.—Prices on the bourse today were heavy on rumors of difficulties in the Moroccan situation. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

	Francs.
Notes in circulation, decreased	18,526,000
Treasury deposits, increased	42,176,000
General deposits, decreased	126,550,000
Gold in hand, increased	34,677,000
Silver in hand, increased	34,675,000
Bills discounted, decreased	185,225,000
Advances, increased	27,025,000

Three per cent rentes, 96 francs 83½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 15½ centimes for checks.

London closing stocks:

Consols for money	87¼	Mo., Kas. & Texas	23¾
Consols for acct	87¼	New York Central	99
Anaconda	6⅞	Norf. & Western	67¾
Atchison	73¾	Do pfd	88
Do pfd	90	Ontario & Western	33¾
Baltimore & Ohio	85¼	Pennsylvania	53¾
Canadian Pacific	154	Rand Mines	5⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	30	Reading	51
Chi. Gt. W.	5¼	Southern Railway	21¾
C. M. & St. Paul	118¾	Do pfd	84
De Beers	19¾	Southern Pacific	73½
Den. & Rio Grande	39½	Union Pacific	122
Do pfd	50	Do pfd	86
Erie	15¾	United States Steel	28¾
Do 1st pfd	33¾	Do pfd	93¾
Do 2d pfd	22¼	Wabash	9
Grand Trunk	17¾	Do pfd	16
Illinois Central	132	Spanish 4s	91¼
Louis. & Nashville	130	Amal. C	51¼

Bar silver—Quiet, 25 9-16d per ounce. Money 3¼@3¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3¾@3⅞ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3¾@3¾ per cent.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The hog market was not a strong one throughout the session yesterday the early strength disappearing long before the close and enabling packers to get swine at about 5c under Wednesday's prices. Cattle receipts were liberal, there was entirely too large a run for the demand, and the result was a decline which amounted to 10@15c on steers. Sheep and lambs obtained something more than a nominal market late in the day, but the greater part of the session's business in prices closed a bit higher than at the previous day's session. Receipts for the day were: Cattle, 12,500; hogs, 37,000; sheep, 12,000. The general range of prices was as follows:

Cattle.

Good to prime steers	$5.60@6.20
Fair to good steers	5.00@5.60
Inferior to plain steers	4.00@5.00
Plain to fancy yearlings	5.00@5.85
Fair to good yearlings	4.00@5.00
Plain to fancy heifers	3.00@5.00
Fair to choice feeders	3.75@4.75
Common to choice stockers	3.25@3.50
Good cutting and fair beef cows	2.75@3.25
Canners	1.50@2.25
Common to choice bulls	2.25@3.50
Calves, common to fancy	3.00@6.00
Calves, good to fancy	6.00@7.25

Hogs.

Heavy packing sows, 280 lbs and up	$4.25@4.40
Mixed packers and barrow tons, 225 lbs and up	4.30@4.45
Choice to prime heavy shipping barrows	4.40@4.60
Light barrow butchers, 200 lbs and up	4.35@4.55
Choice to light barrows and smooth sows, 160 and 200 lbs	4.50@4.62½
Rough sows and coarse stags, 300 to 400 lbs	2.75@3.40
Throwouts, all weights	3.50@4.00
Pigs, 90 to 130 lbs	3.80@3.75
Pigs, 90 to 135 lbs	3.75@4.30

Sheep.

Good to prime wethers	$5.00@5.50
Fair to good wethers	4.00@5.00
Fair to prime ewes	5.50@6.25
Fair to good native lambs	7.00@8.50
Good to fancy native lambs	8.50@7.00
Fed wethers	4.00@5.40
Fed lambs	6.00@7.40
Feeding lambs	4.25@6.65
Cull lambs	4.50@6.00
Bucks and stags	2.50@3.00
Yearlings	6.00@6.50
Breeding ewes	3.50@5.10

Hides and Tallow.

No. 1 hides	7c	No. 1 calf	11½c
No. 2 hides	6c	No. 1 horsehide	$3.00
No. 1 bulls	6c	No. 1 tallow	3c
No. 2 bulls	5c	No. 2 tallow	4c

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head; steady to 10c higher; heavy steers, slow; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.15@5.55; native heifer; cull to choice, $2.00@5.00; calves, $3.75@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000 head; 5c higher; top, $4.32½; bulk, $4.20@4.30. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head; 5@10c higher; lambs, $6.25@6.90; ewes and yearlings, $4.50@5.50.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6.—[Special.]—Cattle—Supply 25; trade light and steady. Veals—Receipts, 100; active, 25c higher; cull to choice, $4.00@6.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,000; active, top, steady; lambs, $5.00@7.50; yearlings, $6.00@6.80. Hogs—Receipts, 2,550; active and 10@20c higher; Yorkers, $4.75@5.10; mixed, $5.00@5.10; heavies, $4.90@5.00.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Beeves—Receipts, 744 head; no trading; steady; dressed beef, slow, at $7.00¼@9.00; export, 4,300 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 338 head; market steady; veals, $5.00@9.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,979 head; sheep, steady; lambs, dull to 10c lower; sheep, $4.25@4.50; lambs, $7.50@7.85. Hogs—Receipts, 3,797; steady.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head, including 850 Texans; natives, 5@10c lower; steers, $5.25@6.00; cows and heifers, $3.15@5.00; calves, $3.50@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,500 head; 5@10c higher; packers, $4.00@4.50; best heavy, $4.45@4.60. Sheep—Receipts, 800 head; steady; native muttons, $5.00@5.50; lambs, $4.50@7.00.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,300; steady to stronger. Native steers, $3.65@5.75; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.50; calves, $2.75@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 8,700; steady to 5c lower; heavy, $4.30@4.40. Sheep—Receipts, 1,200; steady; yearlings, $5.50@6.00; lambs, $6.50@6.90.

Oil and Oil Certificates.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Petroleum, steady; refined, all ports, $8.70@8.75.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 6.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 6.—Credit balances, $1.78; runs, 70,802 bris; average, 69,507 bris; shipments, 165,084 bris; average, 162,425 bris.

Quotations on Hides.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Hides are quiet; leather steady.

SEEK GOOD WILL IN TRAFFIC

Shippers and Railways in First "Get Together" Meeting.

VALUE OF HARMONY URGED.

H. C. Barlow Says Co-operation Between Interests Is Essential.

Rate wars, switching and lighterage charge disagreements, terminal warehouse closing, and the thousand and one troubles between the big shippers of Chicago and the railroads will become things of the past, if the object of a series of weekly "get together" luncheons inaugurated yesterday by the Traffic club is accomplished.

Misunderstandings, which heretofore have been fought out before the Interstate Commerce and Railroad and Warehouse commissions will be washed away with the aid of the coffee cup. One address per week will constitute the "talk" part, at the meetings of the organization, which is composed of shippers and railroad traffic officials.

The first of the Thursday luncheons, which will take the place of the usual monthly banquets, was given yesterday noon at the Grand Pacific hotel. H. C. Barlow, of the Chicago Association of Commerce, spoke on "Coöperation of the Railroads and the Shippers" and urged the "get together" idea.

Denies Railroads Are "Private."

"The time has passed when the great railroad systems of our country can be regarded as private property," said Mr. Barlow. "Whether we all like it or not, we must agree they are not the masters of our welfare, but the servants of the people. The shippers are as necessary to the railroads as the railroads are to the shippers. There must be coöperation.

"What is to be the basis of this coöperation? It can't be of the sort illustrated by the lion and the lamb lying down together, but with the lamb inside the lion. The railroads are a part of, not apart from, the people.

"The shippers do not want to regulate the roads in all ways. But we do contend that when you railroad men meet among yourselves for the consideration of changes of importance to the shippers we should be allowed to take some part in the consideration. Then we should not have these overnight changes such as the closing of the freight warehouses half an hour earlier and the radical change in the reciprocal switching rate which directly and almost immeasurably affects every business and industry in Chicago."

The address at next week's luncheon will be given by a representative of the railroad men.

Agree to Use Heavier Rails.

An agreement on a new, heavier type of nonbreakable steel rails was the result of the conference of representatives of steel rail manufacturers and the railroads in New York this week. The announcement to that effect was made by Judge E. H. Gary of the United States Steel corporation.

Beginning next Monday the Santa Fé railroad will take off ten of its principal local passenger trains in Kansas. General Manager Hurley said the step is necessitated by the decrease in the road's earnings during the last year.

Beginning March 1 the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad will grant half fare rates to clergymen as a result of the decision of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania in the Pennsylvania's test of the 2 cent fare law.

BIG PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ORDER.

Company Buys 55,000 Tons—Specifications Place More Responsibility on Manufacturers.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 6.—The Pennsylvania railroad company today placed orders with steel manufacturers for 55,000 tons of rails, to be delivered during 1908. These, in addition to 30,000 tons left over from 1907, will give the company 85,000 tons for use this year.

The rails will be rolled under new specifications. Most important is placing more upon the manufacturer the responsibility for the character of the rail. Considerable latitude is to be allowed in methods of manufacture so long as the result is a sound rail.

It is desired to ascertain more clearly the difference in service as between the open hearth and the Bessemer product.

Naval Stores.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 6.—Turpentine and resin—Nothing doing, quotations omitted.

WILMINGTON, N.C., Feb. 6.—Spirits turpentine—Steady, 51c. Receipts, 6 casks. Resin—Steady, $3.25. Receipts, 149 bris. Tar—Nothing doing; receipts, 348 bris. Crude turpentine—Firm, $2.35, $3.50, and $5.00; receipts, 16 casks.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 6.—Turpentine—Firm, 52c. Sales, 126 casks; receipts, 284 casks; shipments, 1,351 casks. Resin—Firm. Sales, 2,469 bris; receipts, 2,468 bris; shipments, 2,823 bris; stock, 90,997 bris. Quote A, B, C, D, E, $3.60; F, G, $3.65; H, $3.75; I, $4.00; K, $5.00; M, $5.25; N, $5.90; WG and WW, $6.50.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Weather forecast: Illinois and Indiana—Fair Friday, Saturday fair, warmer.

Ohio—Fair Friday except snow flurries in northeast portion, Saturday fair.

Lower Michigan—Local snows Friday except fair in southeast portion, Saturday generally fair.

Upper Michigan—Fair Friday and Saturday, except snow near Lake Superior.

Wisconsin—Fair Friday and Saturday, fresh north to northeast winds.

Minnesota—Fair Friday, except snow in northwest portion, warmer in west portion, Saturday fair, warmer.

Iowa—Fair Friday and Saturday, warmer Saturday.

Place of observation.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation in 24 hours.	State of weather.
Time taken:					
	6, 7 p. m.				
Abilene	56	64	S.		Clear
Albany	30	34	W.	.40	Clo'dy
Alpena	10	16	N.W.	.24	Snow
Atlantic	46	50	W.	.01	Clear
Amarillo	50	62			Fair
Baker City	42	44	S.E.	.10	Clo'dy
Battleford	2	6		.02	Snow
Bismarck	12	12	W.	.04	Snow
Buffalo	18	26	W.	.24	Snow
Boston	32	36	W.	.04	Clo'dy
Cairo	40	42	S.W.		Clear
Calgary	2	4	S.E.		Clo'dy
Charles City	8	10	W.		Clear
Cheyenne	40	48	N.W.		Clo'dy
Chicago	30	34	W.	.01	Clear
Cincinnati	30	36	W.	.01	Clear
Cleveland	18	26	W.	.08	Snow
Concordia	34	40			Fair
Denver	48	52			Fair
Des Moines	20	32	W.		Clear
Detroit	18	22	W.	.30	Fair
Dodge	46	52	S.E.		Clear
Dubuque	14	18	W.		Clear
Duluth	14	18	W.	.04	Clear
El Paso	58	62	S.E.		Clear
Edmonton	4	6	W.	.02	Clear
Escanaba	14	16	W.	.71	Clear
Galveston	50	54			Clear
Grand Rapids	20	22	W.	.08	Clear
Green Bay	10	16	W.	.14	Clo'dy
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...keepers and Clerks.

...ANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGED ...dition as shipping clerk or assist... ...eral experience in mail order house ... employed. Address C 7 140, Trib...

...ANTED—BY BOOKKEEPER, 2... ...can master double set of books, ...tail depts. or otherwise; positively ... way. Address O 161, Tribune.

...ANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 21, ...r at similar work; 2 years' exp.; ... ...ible; ref. habits; A1 ref.; also ... N 128, Tribune.

...ANTED—BY CAPABLE YOUNG ...keeper, correspondent, or general ... ...neral knowledge of law; A1 ref... ...P 555, Tribune.

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...ANTED—BOOKKEEPER, CASH... ...office work; bank and commercial ... ...A1. Address P 195, Tribune.

...ANTED—BOOKKEEPER; LAT... ...cost accounting, commercial book... ...accurate. Address O 168 Tribune.

...ANTED—YOUNG MAN, EXPERI... ...estate and insurance offices; salary ... ...S 170, Tribune.

...ANTED—YOUNG MAN, 16 YRS., ...neral office work; best of ref. Ad... ...bune.

...ANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, 25; ...ence as bookkeeper; quick and ac... ...; $15. Address S 168 Tribune.

...ANTED—BOOKKEEPER; CAPA... ...e person; has had bank ex... ...$18. Address P 586 Tribune.

...ANTED—BY EXPERIENCED ...speaks German; age 36. Address ...

...ANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 22, ...ishing business, to learn business; ...ginning; wages first 6 mos. Address S 141, Tribune.

...ANTED—AS BOOKKEEPER; ...age 43; A1 refs.; $18. Address ...

...ANTED—COMPETENT YOUNG ...experience several office work; col... ...figures. Address S 372, Tribune.

...ANTED—SHIPPING CLERK; ...al hustler; ref. Address T 169 ...

...ANTED—EXP. OFFICE CLERK, ... Address F. C. S., 1009 N. Halsted ...

...ANTED—AS STOREROOM KEEP... ...perience. Address N 588, Tribune.

Accountants.

...ANTED—EXPERT WILL AUDIT ...and systematize accounts; $5 per ... ...N. 415 Leland-av. Tel. Edgewater ...

...WANTED — EXPERT AUDITS, ...keeps small sets or intervenes; ... ...ence; reas.; refs. McENROE, 522 ...Centre; 3 to 6.

...ANTED—EXPERT WILL AUDIT ...r keep small set of books. Lodge or ... a specialty; charges reasonable. ...N. 3 View 4028.

...ANTED—EXPERT WILL SYSTE... ...systematize books, etc. SPENCER, ... Phone Oakland 1819.

...men, Solicitors, Etc.

...WANTED — A RESPONSIBLE ... experienced, and well known Pa... ...man with headquarters in Chi... ...to add another specialty to his ...cago for interview; best city refer... ...e to reply unless you have something ...tive exclusive territory west of the ...ess, with full particulars. ... ...ry of Farnsworth, Bills & Co., ... Chicago, Ill.

...ANTED—AS SPECIALTY SALES... ...lished concern, by first class, single ...perienced principally in machine ...nenical lines; successful ... salary and commission; will either ... invest a little money with reliable ...tion; highest possible faith; references. ... Tribune.

...ANTED — AS ASSISTANT OR ... training salesman, with ... ...ty, or gas engineering preferred; ... ...ference. Address P 557, Tribune.

...ANTED—LINE OF DRY GOODS ...sman to travel by young man with ...nce selling city. Commission prop... ...Address S 184 Tribune.

...ANTED—AS SALESMAN IN OLD ...st class office, by reliable, capable ...mission basis; best of interest ...ble. Address S 367, Tribune.

...ANTED — MERCHANT TAILOR ... P 552, Tribune.

...men, Solicitors, Etc.

...WANTED — AS SALESMAN; EX... ...; 25 years of age; 3 years' experi... ...$125 per month. Address S 125, Tribune.

Trades.

...ANTED—PRACTICAL MECHAN... ...l engineer, with German high school ...eaking English, French, German, ...ment; has engaged in business for ...E HULLER, 426 S. State, cor. Polk;

...WANTED—ENGINEER; ENER... ...and strictly honest; steam and ...able of establishing himself; experi... ...rience; A1 references. Address L ...

...ANTED—YOUNG MAN, 25 YEARS ...cal mechanic, all around electrician. ...ng to work at almost anything un... ...ll take as opportunity to learn ...ess P 509 Tribune.

...WANTED—MACHINIST: FIRST... ...e; 3 years' exp.; light and medium ...on. 5 STUCKEY, Libertyville, Ill.

...WANTED — ENGINEER; ENER... ...and strictly honest; gas, water, elec... ...ger exp.; best refs. Address N 587, ...

...WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ME... ...anical education; some ... ...and drafting experience. Address ...e.

...WANTED.— ELECTRICIAN CA... ...perienced wiring, testing, repairing; ...od references. Address P 589, Trib...

...WANTED—TECHNICAL MAN OF ...experience as mechanical; mechani... ...el car constructor and designer; age ...dress P O 34, Tribune.

...WANTED—WITH SOME MANU... ...ncern or machine shop to a general ... years' experience. Address S 348, ...

...WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 20; ...ctural drafting experience; best of ...ork of any kind. Address S 357, ...

...WANTED—ANYTHING IN STEAM ...ompetent licensed engineer, age 27; ...; 10 years' experience. Address S ...

...WANTED—BY AN EXP. FIRE... ...and reliable. Ref. Address O 539, ...

...WANTED—LICENSED ENGINEER, ...8 years' experience. Address P 585, ...

...WANTED — COMPOSITOR — GOB... ...familiar stock and cutter. Ad... ...Tribune.

...WANTED—MECH. DRAFTSMAN, ...n special mach.; auto. Address ...

...WANTED—PRINTER; NONUNION; ...good workman. Address S 197, ...

...WANTED—EVENINGS, MECHAN... ...eral structural drafting. Address ...

...WANTED—BY EXPERT, ON EX... ...work; 15 years' exp. Address S 387, ...

...WANTED—ENGRAVER, LETTER ...m; A1 references; willing worker; ... $18 to $20. Address S 192, Tribune.

...WANTED—BY COMPETENT LI... ...ser; refs. Address N 127 Tribune.

...WANTED—PIANO POLISHER; ...asonable. Address P 534 Tribune.

...WANTED—BY RELIABLE LI... ...ser. Address S 389, Tribune.

House Servants.

...WANTED—BY AMERICANIZED ...ch, Polish girl, desires position in ...e; best chop suey man; wages $15. ... Address LEE, 635 N. Clark-st.

...WANTED — BRIGHT EDUCATED ...girl; small wages; kind family. Ad... ...Tribune.

...WANTED—FIRST CLASS HOUSE... ...n-American; private family; as ...ses N 102, Tribune.

...WANTED—BUTLER OR HOUSE... ...; 26 years old; A1 refs. Address ...

...WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN AS ...ars' experience; also city references. ... Tribune.

...WANTED—BY JAPANESE TO GO ...another country as valet; best city ...ATO 2917 Prairie-av.

...WANTED—JAPANESE COOK OR ...eworker; city, country. Address ...

...WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE AS ...useman; city or country. TANI, ...8609 Dorchester-av.

...WANTED—JAPANESE, GENERAL ...ity or country. Address S 247, Trib...

...WANTED—JAPANESE, EXP. BUT... ...dress E R. 2206 Michigan-av.

...WANTED—JAPANESE, AS GEN... ...k; ref. Address N 380, Tribune.

Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Etc.

...WANTED—CHAUFFEUR; EX... ...ce, register and careful driver; ... American and foreign cars; compe... and gentlemanly. Highest refer... ...ed. P 581, Tribune.

...WANTED—COACHMAN, GARDE... ...thoroughly understands both; wages ...and furnaces; refs. Address S 192, ...

...WANTED — BY HOLLANDER, ...st class mechanic and have Holland ...references; will work cheap to start. ...3063 E. South Lake Park-st. Ill.

...WANTED — YOUNG MAN, OUT... ...river route wagon, etc.; reference ...ily furn. Address O 260, Tribune.

...WANTED—COACHMAN AND ...enced; references. Address P 522, ...

...itors and Porters.

...WANTED—STEADY, RELIABLE ...ker who is in need of a steady ... ...ce, etc.; refs. Apply 4739 Kenwood ...exel 4402.

...WANTED — FIRST CLASS THOR... ...patent, sober, gentlemanly man ...ouse, barn, lawn, garden; suburban ...Janitor, 400 East 41st st.

...WANTED—BY A COMPETENT MAN ...of flat bldg.; married, no children ...ber. Address P 506, Tribune.

...WANTED — JANITOR; BY COL... ...suitable office housekeeping; ...ddress JACKSON, 2721 Armour-av.

Stenographers.

...WANTED—AS SECRETARY, BY ... bookkeeper; by thoroughly ... ...iddle aged gentleman, clean record; ...erman; best refs.; moderate. Ad... ...Tribune.

...WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN AS ... inexperienced, but willing to make ... the opportunity. Address T 178, ...

...WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, BE... ...ducated; knows Spanish; has bus... ...s with South America; will leave ...ary; refs. Address S 366, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Stenographers.

SITUATION WANTED — BY STENOGRAPHER with extensive commercial experience as correspondent or follow up man; thoroughly efficient and reliable; a hustler, and not afraid to work; have studied Powell's System of Advtg. and can prepare convincing copy. Have a thorough knowledge of office routine work. Out of town position acceptable. Address N 126, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — STENOGRAPHER with extensive commercial experience in Chicago, good education, and excellent testimonials; prospects an inducement; moderate salary to start. Address O 208, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MARCH 1ST WITH small but live growing mercantile house; a private co., where conscientious work will be appreciated; exp. from stenog. to dept. mgr., with present employers (large corporation), furnishing A1 ref. Address P 578, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—A GOOD APPEARING, well dressed portly man of 50 wants position; knows how to handle people; would like position as usher for large firm or act as cashier in buffet or cafe or take charge of books for small firm. Address S 135, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—TRADE PAPER EDITOR would accept position; good judge of manuscript; familiar with photographic half tone work; strong writer; economical office manager. M. B., 1224 First Nat. Bank Bldg.

SITUATION WANTED—BUSINESS MAN, AGE 30, who has been a broker, would like a position looking after the renting, collecting, etc. of an estate or a live real estate office. Address S 361, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BUYER, YOUNG MAN, familiar with wrappings, strawboards, etc., wants position as buyer; experienced in paper business. Address P 594, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EMPLOYMENT DESIRED by gentleman, aged 27, of refinement, good appearance, education, and business ability. Address S 122 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, FIRST class pianist, in nickel theater. 3132 Forest-av. Tel. Douglas 4495.

SITUATION WANTED—AS INSIDE STEWARD, floor walker, or storekeeper; 5 years' experience. Address P 582, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, FOR farm work or around house. Address S 169, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EX-CAVALRYMAN, recently discharged, understands army paper work. Address S 154, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BARTENDER, SOUTHerner, 30, single; 2 years' experience. Address P 586, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 22, DESIRES to learn either cigar, shoe, or dry goods business; 4½ years' clerical exp. address S 344 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CARE OF INVALID; mental cases. SPONSELLER, 253 Dearborn-av. State wares.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 23; 4 years' practical business experience with reliable firm; reas. salary. Address S 350, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY AN AMERICAN, 28; willing to do any kind of work; salary no object if there is a future. Address S 291, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN, FEW hours mornings. Address S 327, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY MAN, WIFE; ON stock farm. Address S 326, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SWITCH BOARD BY experienced young lady. Address S 390, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG, ENERGETIC, and industrious expert bookkeeper; able to keep the most difficult set of books in immaculate condition (and handle all cash); references of past employers exceptionally good. Address P 566, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER AND correspondent; 11 years' exp.; rapid operator; Remington typewriter; part or all; starting without losing trade. Address S 326 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY BOOKkeeper, cashier, and stenographer; 8½; best references as to character and ability. Tribune Bldg.

Saleswomen. Solicitors. Etc.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENC'D SALESlady in wholesale or retail jewelry house. Address P 590, Tribune.

Domestics.

SITUATION WANTED—LIGHT HOUSEWORK by the day or care of small flat for lady living alone or bachelor. Address JESSIE KNIGHT, 3028 Vernon-av.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED WOMAN; general housework and cooking; good, reliable and competent; best refs. Address T 165 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL wants position, general housework; no washing; refs. 3146 Rhodes-av.

SITUATION WANTED—GIRL WOULD LIKE light housework or plain sewing. Willing to work for small pay. Address S 373, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG PRIVATE family as washing, K. P. 2007 Indiana-av.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL; housework; references. Phone Seeley 4722.

SITUATION WANTED—BY GOOD PLAIN GERman girl; cook or housework. Address S 331, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY HUNGARIAN JEWish girl; cook or general housework. 36 29th-pl.

SITUATION WANTED—BY GIRL; GENERal housework. 922 W. 54th-st., 1st flat.

Housekeepers.

SITUATION WANTED—BY WIDOW IN FAMily of adults; faithful service. Address P 553, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER, IN store or home; good references. Address G D 352, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER, IN a refined widower's or a bachelor's home, by educated lady; no objection to children. 4061 Grand-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY HOUSEKEEPER IN hotel; first class. Address N 197 Tribune.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO CHILDREN'S sewing at home; I MAKE A SPECIALTY OF LADIES' APRONS, DRESSING JACKETS AND KIMONAS. MY PRICES ARE REASONABLE. ADDRESS J. A. 212 TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WANTED — MADAM JAYNE, HAVing returned from New York, desires more customers; three dollars per day. Telephone White 2866.

SITUATION WANTED—OCMPETENT DRESSmaker wants engagements; $1.75 per day. L. S. H., 39 Douglas-pl.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS DRESSmaker will go out by the day; $2 per day until March. Address L F 92 Tribune.

Nurses and Governesses.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED nurse of small children; young baby preferred; is fond of out Highland Park, Ill. Address O B 279, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS GOVERNESS BY A well educated young lady, aged 22; speaking French and German fluently. MRS. E. HUSMANN, 1645 56th-st.

SITUATION WANTED—GOVERNESS EXperienced, French, music. MISS MASON, 4935 Indiana-av.

SITUATION WANTED—TRAINED NURSE DIEngaged March wants obstetrical cases. JACKSON, 763 Washington-blvd. Ogden 5882.

Laundresses.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS LAUNdress wants ironing or cleaning by day. Phone 3312 Douglas. KATY, 3527 Vernon-av.

SITUATION WANTED—DAY WORK BY LAUNdress; wash and clean; refs. Douglas 6946. 23 W. 63d-st.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT LAUNdress, by day; S. Side, MRS. SAFERTHAL, 42 W. 18th-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY LAUNDRESS, BY day or cleaning; good ref. Douglas 1114.

SITUATION WANTED—AS LAUNDRESS OR housework. 1610 Indiana-av.

Stenographers.

SITUATION WANTED—CAPABLE YOUNG lady stenographer; 4 years' insurance and commercial experience; high school graduate; neat appearance; good address; excellent references. Address O 244, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—WILL EASILY DO BETter the work of any three $65 girls for $125; extremely rapid, accurate; look for most difficult position. Address N 558, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY STENOGRAPHER; 1½ years' experience; $15. Address N 161, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. FIRST CLASS STENOGRAPHER OFFICE ASSISTANT AND CASHIER; REFS. Address P 142 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT LADY STENO. Rapid, accurate, Oliver. Address N. PEELE, 624 Belden-av. apt. 2 S.

SITUATION WANTED — BY STENOGRAPHER; two years' experience; references. Address S 190 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY STENO., THOROughly experienced; familiar with office work and switchboard. Address T 177. Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY THOROUGHLY EXperienced stenographer; also knowledge of telegraph and clerkwork. Address T 161, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT STENOGrapher; any line; $15. Address S 188. Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG GIRL STENO., some exp. L. Olsen 1065 N Washtenaw-av.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—RELIABLE YOUNG lady in doctor's office; A1 refs. Address O 258, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY LADY OF REFINEment as nurse or companion; would travel. Address O 276, Tribune.

Employment Agencies.

SITUATION WANTED—LADIES IN NEED OF competent cooks and housework girls supplied on short notice. MRS. KRAMER, 4722 Calumet-av., 1st. 3726 Gray.

SITUATION WANTED — HOUSEWORK, BY competent girls; Scandinavian-American. Employment Office, Room 34, 163 Randolph-st. Tel. Main 5474.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—IN GOOD HOUSE; young man; must be quick and accurate; wages $14 to $16, according to experience; must come well recommended; in replying, state age, experience, and references. Inquiry of employer and telephone number, if any. Address T O 291, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—COMPETENT, RAPID, ACCURate. Apply Superintendent's office,
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS.
111 State-st.

LEDGERMAN — FIRST CLASS; MUST BE steady and accurate at posting. Address H E 564, Tribune.

SHIPPING CLERK AND TRAFFIC MANager—By old established wholesale house in hardware line; must possess executive ability and be thoroughly posted on routes, rates, and classifications; man with railroad experience preferred. In reply state fully experience and salary expected. Address O B 278, Tribune.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CITY CIGAR salesman; reference required. I. E. TREUSCH, 84 Wash-av.

CALL AND SEE A GOOD THING—THAT'S NO lie. DENNIS, 159 Washington-st., Room 4.

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10 SOLICITORS—TO INTRODUCE NEW SPECialty; big money. Room 409, 21 Quincy-st.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SHOE SALESMEN WANTED—
5 EXPERIENCED.
THE FAIR,
Apply to Supt., 8th floor.

WANTED—THE BEST FIRM IN THE LINE WANTS ONE EXPERIENCED Fixture Salesman; must be fair draftsman, used to selling all kinds of Store Fixtures, except saloon work, for city and local towns; steady, good habits and reputation. Also one each for the South, East, and far Western parts of the U. S. Reply confidentially with age, where last employed, annual average sales, straight salary or commission expected, and how soon you could start. Address H E 512, Tribune.

THE ARETINO COMPANY,
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Wants 10 more high class premium salesmen. Our men make from $200 to $300 per month and expenses. Our proposition attracts the attention of large retail merchandising men in every state in the union. Two days' free instructions. Expense money advanced.

TRAVELING SALESMEN EARN FROM $2,000 to $10,000 a year. We have hundreds of good positions open; you can easily secure one of them. No former experience required. If you are ambitious and want a permanent position, write at once for our free catalogue "A Knight of the Grip" today. Address Dept. 642 A. National Salesman's Training Assn. Monadnock Block, Chicago, Ill. Branches, Minneapolis, Minn., and Kansas City, Mo.

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WANT HIGH CLASS TRAVELING SALESMEN to close deals. Newspapers throughout the United States are co-operating with us. Paid one salesman $10,085 commissions in eleven months. Full commissions on acceptance of orders. Do not make advances. If accustomed to making $5,000 a year, and not broke, call. Security Pocket Bank Co., 616 E. Madison-st. Chicago.

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GENERAL AGENTS AND FIELD MEN—CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN ILLINOIS TO SELL POLICY COVERING ALL ACCIDENTS AND SICKNESS. AT $1 A MONTH; SALARY PAID IF YOU PROVE APT. PERMANENT BUSINESS; $24 TO $48 A WEEK EASY. PACIFIC MUTUAL, 153 LA SALLE-ST. CHICAGO.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS MAN TO SELL MALleable iron castings to manufacturers in largest quantities, at lowest prices in commission, in Chicago and surrounding territory; first class opportunity for the right man. J. LINDEMANN & HOVERSON CO., Milwaukee, Wis.

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MEN WITH SMALL CAPITAL, GOOD BUSIness ability, hustlers. I have a good proposition that will bear investigation. Come up and see me. J. M. HARRIS, 1012-13 Champlain Building, State and Madison.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS SPECIALTY SALESman; strictly commission basis; line is brand new and is adapted to both merchandising and promotive theories; worth $50 to $100 per week in hands of hustler. Address H H 406 Tribune.

WE ARE IN NO HUMOR TO EXPERIMENT. For the man who can demonstrate his sales ability there is an exceptional opportunity with us. Bring refs. 9 to 12 a. m. Room 402 Ashland Block.

TEN MORE LIVE SALESMEN WANTED. CAPable of $2,000 to $5,000 annually; on good commissions only, selling necessity to business men in city and country. "Liberty" Association, Mfrs., 12 State-st.

WORK A SIDE LINE—INCREASE YOUR SALary; $100 a club or $2 each for suit club members. Fine chance for man with large circle of friends or employed in a large place. Address G B 318, Tribune.

WANT 4 HIGH GRADE LAND OR TOWNSITE salesmen to travel on private car containing exhibit of Texas products; must be accustomed to earning better than $500 per month need reply. Show me. J. W. J., Box 5, Hotel Grace.

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN TO SELL CONvertible stock subscription contract. Chicago property; business established and paying; experience not necessary; references required. Address L W 242 Tribune.

SALESMEN—3 YOUNG MEN TO SELL SPEcialty to the grocery trade; straight salary; established line; long trip. Address L W 248, Tribune.

TRAVELING SALESMAN — EXPERIENCED heavy hardware agricultural implement; capable of handling large trade; state age, reference, salary expected. Address S 107, Tribune.

WANTED—LAW OFFICE REQUIRES 3 OR 4 neat appearing, experienced solicitors to call on business houses; good remuneration; no salaries; state experience. Address L W 228, Tribune.

WIDEAWAKE, WELL DRESsalesman; city work; permanent position; good income; demonstrator furnished. 1312 Manhattan Bldg.

ENERGETIC SALESMAN NOT OVER 28, WITH knowledge of electricity and lamps, wanted at once for out of town location. Apply in person at 59 E. Lake-st.

WANTED—3 SALESMEN FOR CITY ON SPECialty to grocers and bakers; man who is well acquainted with trade in Milwaukee and Wisconsin. Address T 141, Tribune.

IF YOU ARE A TEA AND COFFEE SALESMAN with the trade and desire to connect with present position, will pay you extra salary. Call between 4 and 6. RICHHEIMER COFFEE CO., 41 River-st.

LIMITED NUMBER OF AGENTS TO SELL ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS POLICY; BEST PROPOSITION EVER OFFERED. GENERAL ACCIDENT INS. CO., 51 S. CLARK-ST.

RELIABLE YOUNG MAN—EXPERIENCED, for subscription work on nicely class employed; trade paper; commission; only hustler need answer. Address T 175. Tribune.

WANTED—STEADY MAN FOR GENERAL ELECTRIC PIANO salesmen; good opportunity for hustlers. BOYD-HARRISON CO. 6 E Madison-st.

WANTED — 22 EXPERIENCED INSURANCE solicitors; liberal proposition; good proposition. Call between 4 and 6. W. D. LAHEY, 52 E. 31st-st.

WANTED—8 FIRST CLASS SALESMEN; FINE propositions and future for good men. Frost-Clark Co. 253 La Salle-st.

WANTED—EXP. NEWSPAPER CANVASSERS; new proposition; after 4 p. m. C. Wood, 110 Monroe-st.

WANTED—GOOD CITY SALESMAN FOR PAinted electric sign; commission. Address S 388, Tribune.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR UNEMPLOYED to make $20 work and learn; for bus. Call 8-10 a. m., 6-7:30 p. m. R. 405, 171 Washington-st.

WANT SALESMEN FOR CANDY SPECIALTY; side line; city and country. Northwestern Candy Co., 272 Harrison-st., Chicago.

Trades.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN—MAN OF general experience, for position in Chicago. Address P 481 Tribune.

CUTTER—ON CHILDREN'S CLOAKS; LIVE young man. 208 E. Van Buren-st. 3d floor.

EXPERIENCED MEN—IN OUR BOOK BINDery; one man experienced in leaf marbling and general edgework; one man for Crowley rounder and backer; one man experienced on duplex trimmer; good wages; permanent jobs to sober, industrious nonunion men; no others will be considered. Brethren Publishing House, Elgin, Ill.

FIRST-CLASS LADIES' tailors wanted. Apply Dressmaking and Tailoring Section, ninth floor, south room.
MARSHALL FIELD & CO., Retail.

FOREMAN — RESPONSIBLE AND EXPERIenced for electric wagon stable; send name and address and qualifications. Address K S 34, Tribune.

GARDENER—COMPETENT TO GROW FLOWers in garden and under glass and to take charge of country place; must have ability to handle men. Address H E 562, Tribune.

MINING ENGINEER—SEVERAL YEARS' EXperience and competent to take charge of the engineering department of an established producer. Address, stating age, experience, and references. Address L D 44, Tribune.

REPAIR MAN—ACCORDIONS; MUST BE EXperienced and capable of repairing accordion reeds and finishing. Apply Employment Department, SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO., Homan-av. and Harvard-st.

RUBBER STAMP MAKER—GOOD MAN, WHO has had a few years of experience in the business. Address the Clipper Co., Omaha, Neb.

Window Trimmers.

WANTED—FOR OUT OF TOWN DEPT. STORE, trimmer and card writer, also clothing salesman. Call between 12 and 2 p. m. SUMNER, COHN & CO., 294 5th-av.

Janitors and Porters.

PORTER — BY WHOLESALE CLOTHING house; must have first class recommendations. Address T O 202, Tribune.

Agents Wanted.

ARE YOU OUT OF WORK? WHY DON'T YOU see Thomson's Rewritten Rubber Heels? 100 per cent profit. Sample pair with full particulars mailed on receipt of 25c. Penn Mercantile Co., 5416 Vine-st. Philadelphia.

NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY TO MAKE $5 to $25 a day with the most useful article on the market; needed by every progressive owner; write today. VANEMBURG SALES CO., Room 221, 18 Broadway, New York.

AGENTS—WITH RIGS, ON $40 WEEKLY SALary or commission. Stock-feeders, selling necessity to merchants, farmers, etc. "Liberty" Association, Mnfrs., 12 State-st.

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LETTER TO GUERIN MAY SHOW MOTIVE

Note Found in the Dead Man's Pocket Is Supposed to Be from Mrs. McDonald.

DEFENSE ENDS ITS CASE.

Verdict in the Murder Trial Is Expected to Be Given Early Next Week.

A letter written supposedly by Mrs. Dorf McDonald to Webster Guerin a few weeks before the tragedy in the Omaha building when Guerin was shot will play an important part in the rebuttal testimony offered by the state this morning. It tends to show, according to the state, that Mrs. McDonald had a motive for killing Guerin.

The letter is written evidently on Mrs. McDonald's stationery, with the monogram cut off. It is dated Feb. 4, 1907, and is addressed to Guerin at 655 West Harrison street. It reads as follows:

"My Dear: Do you know the more I think the more I realise that you are the darnest chump I ever saw. You say I am great at similes. I guess that is a fad of mine, and for the life of me I cannot help one in this case. It is this:

"You are like a foolish sportsman who leaves the favorite and plays the field. The field wasn't much to start with, and was pitted against a favorite who was a real favorite with you. There was one chance in twenty that you would strike a winner, but you didn't, and I'll wager anything I possess that you wish you had put all you had on the favorite, for the field proved that they wasn't worth the powder to blow them up, and the favorite was and is in fine condition. M.

"P. S.—And didn't you put yourself on a level with the commonest racehorse tout when you turned to the field?"

Found in Guerin's Pocket.

This letter was found in the pocket of Guerin's coat by Policeman Gabel. It was turned over to Assistant Chief of Police Schuettler, who gave it to his secretary to preserve. Later the letter was lost, and it was not found until two days ago. The state will make a hard fight to get it into the evidence this morning.

The defense closed unexpectedly at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The lawyers for the state were not ready to go on with the rebuttal at once and Judge Brentano called a conference in his chambers. At this conference it developed that the state intended to put a number of experts on the stand to prove that Mrs. McDonald was sane at the time of the shooting.

Attorney Patrick H. O'Donnell objected to this on the grounds that the defense had not put in any testimony to show that the woman was insane and that no rebuttal on this point was competent. Judge Brentano decided that Mr. O'Donnell was right, and as a consequence none of the state experts will be called.

Case Goes to Jury Soon.

The defense cut its testimony short because of the fear that Mrs. McDonald could not stand the strain of the trial much longer. She is growing weaker day by day.

The case will go to the jury early next week. Arguments may begin late this afternoon. It has been decided practically that Attorney O'Donnell will open for the defense and Attorney James Hamilton Lewis will close. The defense having established that Guerin extorted money from Mrs. McDonald, that there was a struggle in the office, and having raised a reasonable doubt as to whether Guerin did not have hold of the revolver when he was shot, an acquittal, or at the most a disagreement, is looked for on all sides.

Mrs. McDonald's Niece on Stand.

Strong testimony for the defense was given in the afternoon by Mrs. Ethel Martin, a niece of Mrs. McDonald. It related to a California trip taken by Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Martin in 1901. Mrs. Martin declared Guerin wrote that he was going to follow them, and on receipt of this message Mrs. McDonald wired to her husband, Michael McDonald, as follows:

"Web Guerin coming out here. Afraid of compremise. Shall I come home? DORA."

McDonald's reply, Mrs. Martin said, was:

"Stay where you are. Let no one bluff you. MIKE."

"Guerin did come to California," said Mrs. Martin. "He stayed in San Francisco several days."

Several photographs of Mrs. McDonald in various stages of dress and undress were exhibited and identified at this time by Mrs. Martin. She said she had taken them with her own kodak and Guerin had stolen them and sold them back to Mrs. McDonald.

"One day," said Mrs. Martin, "Mrs. McDonald came into my room and said:

"'Here are the pictures. I got them from Web Guerin and I had to pay dearly for them.'

Attempts to Extort Money.

"Another day Web called at the hotel where we were staying. My aunt sent me into the next room, but I heard part of the conversation. Web said:

"'Well, are you going to let me have that money or not?'

"'Web, you know I haven't a penny. I can't get it for you,' my aunt said.'

"'Well, you have got something to get it on. Ask your old man,' said Guerin.

"My aunt begged him to give her until night to think it over. He came next day, and they sent me out of the room again. I heard my aunt say to Guerin:

"'I have been lying awake all night trying to think of something to do. I can't think of any way to get the money.'

"'It is up to you,' said Guerin. 'Get it or take the consequences.'

"Then I came in and told him it was a shame to treat my aunt so, and that I would tell Uncle Mike, and he would blow his head off.

"'If there is any of that, I will blow some one's head off,' said Guerin. My aunt stopped us and said:

"'Don't talk any more. I can't stand this.' She opened her dress and took some jewelry out and gave it to Guerin."

ANDY CRAIG HAS AN IMITATOR.

James Duffy, Saloonkeeper, Held to the Grand Jury, Charged with Theft of $300 Diamond Stud.

The alleged attempt of James Duffy, owner of a notorious saloon at 2101 State street, to imitate the example of "Divekeeper" Andy Craig in possessing himself of his patron's valuable jewelry bids fair to meet with reverses similar to those experienced by Mr. Craig.

Duffy was bound over to the grand jury yesterday in Judge Crowe's court at Harrison street, charged with keeping a $300 diamond shirt stud that was intrusted to his care by Louis Steinbarger of Montpelier, O. Craig was bound over to the grand jury Wednesday, charged with stealing a valuable diamond ring from James P. Kelly, 249 South Hermitage avenue.

When Edward Jackson criticised Judge Crowe's ruling in holding Duffy he was brought before the court for contempt.

"You can't arrest me without a warrant," he declared. Then Detective Lyman seized him. Jackson struck Lyman in the face.

WEST SIDE MEN PLAN DINNER.

Business Men to Consider Movements of Extension of District Next Tuesday Evening.

The West Side Business Men's association will give a dinner next Tuesday evening in Rubenstein's cafe, 446 South Halsted street. Among the speakers will be A. H. Revell, L. Klein, I. L. Marks, Charles F. Hoerr, Dr. M. L. Aren, A. J. Harris, Ald. John Powers, James Bowler, Henry Fick, and Dennis Egan. The further development of the west side district will be the subject of the evening's discussion.

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Men's Imported Lisle Thread Half Hose in all black, boxes of six pair, $1.25, $1.55, $2.25, $3.75.

Men's Imported Silk Lisle Hose in all black, boxes of six pair, $1.55 and $2.25. *First Floor.*

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Youths' Winter Clothing at Final Reductions

The remaining quantities are not large and the additional reductions are such that every customer visiting this section must necessarily be convinced of the unequaled worth of every garment included. The unusual extent of the savings offered at this time represents our determination, more than ever, to adhere to our fixed purpose, namely, to sell all garments within the season for which they were intended. Accordingly we include in this sale Winter Suits and Overcoats, separate Trousers and a collection of Fancy Vests. *Fourth Floor.*

As an indication of what customers can save by making purchases now we refer to our Winter Suits and Overcoats which have been reduced to two prices, $15.00 and $20.00, and to the reductions made in our entire line of Youths' Mixed Suits now marked at $10.00, $15.00 and $20.00. Youths' Trousers reduced to $4.00,

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